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DAILY GAZETTE.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—The President has appointed R. Hubbard Postmaster at McGregor, Iowa.

—A man named Wm. Ennis accidently shot and killed himself at a picnic, near Indianapolis, on Wednesday.

—The College at St. Theresa village, together with about fifteen houses, were destroyed by fire on Wednesday.

—Secretary Delano, having recovered from his recent illness, has resumed his duties at the Interior Department.

—The President has signed the commission of Jacob M. McGrew, of Ohio, to be Sixth Auditor of the Treasury, vice Sheets.

—The Independent Convention of the Second California Congressional District nominated Charles A. Tuttle for Congress.

—Jacob Steine, twenty-five years of age, from Syracuse, out of work, was badly cut by a train while trying to steal a ride near Erie.

—The Memphis express robbers, Matt. Morris, Ed. Johnson, Jno. Woods and Henry Johnson (colored) have been sent to the State Prison at Nashville.

—Gen. Nathaniel P. Banks will arrive in Memphis this morning in response to an invitation of the Masonic fraternity to deliver an address at their picnic to-day.

—A man, whose name could not be learned, was found dead at Malott Park, near Indianapolis, on Wednesday morning. He had been dead two or three days.

—Col. B. Y. Sage, late Superintendent and Chief Engineer of the Atlanta & Richmond Air Line Railroad, was found dead in bed at Atlanta on Wednesday morning.

—Another large meeting was held in Indianapolis last night in the interest of the Centennial. Committees were appointed to canvass the State to secure proper representation.

—Postmaster General Jewell arrived in Cincinnati on Wednesday morning, and was on the floor of the Chamber of Commerce. After being introduced he made an address on postal matters.

—At Mount St. Mary's College, Emmittsburg, Md., on Wednesday, the degree of Doctor of Divinity and Law was conferred on Rev. John McCloskey, President of the college, by Cardinal McCloskey.

—Three prisoners broke from the Erie jail on Wednesday. Two of them, one of whom was Johnny Pfiefer, who robbed and burned the postoffice at East Springfield, were captured. Thomas Brown, a mail-bag robber, is at large.

—About two hundred editors from Ohio, Indiana, Iowa, Wisconsin and Missouri, arrived in Atchison, Ks., on Wednesday, for the purpose of joining an excursion of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad to Grenada, Colorado.

—Myrtle Grove, the body of a man that was interred at New Orleans several weeks ago, has been identified as that of John F. Farand, engineer of the steamer Charles Bodmann. The body was disinterred at the instance of his friends for removal to Cincinnati.

—Louis Voltner, a resident of Mt. Airy, near Cincinnati, while shooting cats with a double-barreled gun, wounded one, and attempting to strike another with the butt of his gun exploded the remaining barrel, severing an artery in his thigh, and he died in a few minutes.

—Two floors of a school house in Erie broke on Wednesday while school was in session. The scholars were held in their places by the seats. One little boy, Joseph Friess, was seriously, if not fatally, injured by a falling iron column. Digging out the basement loosened the foundation and caused the disaster.

—Charles H. Robinson, a lawyer of Cleveland, recently arrested in Chicago on a charge of defrauding certain policy holders whom he represented against the Allemania Insurance Co., was, after an argument had been made before Judge Moore, of the Superior Court of Chicago, discharged from custody.

—Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, says he is opposed to Grant as a candidate for the Presidency. He says he could not carry one State in the Union if he should run. Kansas was dead set against him. Bristow, of Kentucky, was the strongest man in the Republican party, and in his opinion would be the next President. He believes the Republicans can elect their man without difficulty.

—About ten o'clock on Monday night, policeman Jacob Sutter, of Belleville, Illinois, was called to arrest Patrick Mulligan, who was drunk and abusing his family. As soon as Sutter laid his hands on Mulligan the latter seized a carpenter's chisel and stabbed him twice. At this juncture City Marshal Charles Born arrived, and he also was fiercely assaulted and stabbed severely in the chest. Born then shot Mulligan, killing him almost instantly. Both Born and Sutter were very badly wounded, and would doubtless have been killed had not the former shot Mulligan.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA.

The Opening of the Court—A Bit of a Blaze—The Quietude of the Town.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

WILLIAMSPORT, June 22, 1875.

The Pittsburghers who left the Iron City on Saturday morning arrived in this place safe and sound, but weary, on Saturday night. Sunday morning dawned bright and beautiful, and the forenoon was spent in attending Divine service. The rest of the day was spent in promenading and lounging around in the beautiful park surrounding the Herdic House.

OPENING OF COURT.

Monday morning the jurors and officers of the United States Courts wended their way to the Court House, which is situated about a mile and a half from the Herdic. Promptly at eleven o'clock the Circuit Court, presided over by Judge McKennan, and the District Court presided over by Judge McCandless, opened and the roll of grand and petit jurors was called. The grand jury, for which twenty-four were summoned, could not act because only eight answered to their names. The petit jurors were more prompt, for out of sixty summoned, thirty-two answered. As the Grand Jury could not sit for want of a quorum, no criminal cases could be heard, and the District Court adjourned, but the Circuit Court held a session. In one short hour six civil cases were disposed of, when that Court also adjourned.

Mr. Frank Higgins, of the *Post*, was one of the first jurors called. Your correspondent fared likewise, but both escaped with out being called into the box.

A QUIET TOWN.

Williamsport is very dull. Monday seemed like Sunday, everything being so quiet. E. H. Kerr, Esq., (Benton) who is one of the jurors, mentioned the fact that not even a dray was to be seen or heard on the streets, and the sound of a dray rattling over the streets would be music to his ear.

A FIRE.

About five o'clock last evening the city was startled by an alarm of fire. Your correspondent from sheer force of habit followed the "masheen," and soon discovered the fire to be near the Herdic House. The building on fire was a large agricultural implement works. The whole fire department, consisting of three engines, was out, but the flames could not be checked in time, and the building with its contents was destroyed. It belong to J. H. Gulick & Co., and the loss was $15,000. The fire was undoubtedly the work of an incendiary, as the works had not been in operation since March last.

Williamsport lately has been afflicted with "fire bugs." Half a dozen large fires have occurred within the past two months —all the work of incendiaries. The firemen here are stout, hardy men, but they are badly in need of a more perfect discipline. At the fire every man seemed to be "boss," and when the chief was found he seemed to have less to say than any of them. They ought to have Chief Hamill or Chief Crow here for awhile to straighten them up.

JUROR.

Back Yards.

Front yards are like company manners, and are not a very reliable index to the character of the inmates of the house to which they belong; but a back door yard tells pretty plainly how much its keepers think of their surroundings, when removed from the view of others. If it is overgrown with weeds and littered with old boards, promiscuous wood piles, beds of chips which have been accumulating for years, old ash hoppers, hoopless tubs, legless chairs, old iron, tin cans, worn implements, rags and filth, one feels pretty confident that the same plan is followed indoors, and that the front room is the only decent apartment.

FIRST EDITION.

THE BROOKLYN SCANDAL.

The End of the Great Trial Approaching.

Conclusion of Mr. Beach's Argument.

A Last Appeal on Behalf of the Plaintiff.

NEW YORK, June 25, 1875.

Beecher and wife came into Court, as did also Tilton, before the proceedings began. The number of spectators was smaller than usual. After Court was opened, Mr. Evarts said that, in regard to the Judge's charge, they had revised their charges, and that, after the charge was delivered, they would be presented to the Court.

Quotations from Beecher's Works.

Mr. Beach then continued his address, and his quotations from works of Beecher. He spoke of his invitation to all parties who loved the Lord Jesus, and who were not members of any church, to commune in fellowship with him.

Mr. Shearman objected to these citations from sermons or lectures of Beecher's on the ground that they were not placed in evidence.

Mr. Evarts intimated that from these quotations made from writings that were not placed in evidence, the jury might confound them with some of the testimony which was in evidence.

Mr. Beach argued that he made the quotations not as evidence, but as to the contrary theories by this defendant.

Judge Neilson suggested that Mr. Shearman could make objections when Mr. Beach got through, and Mr. Beach broke out with: "The gentleman is wrong, my quotations are right, and I challenge him to prove that they are wrong."

"And I," said Mr. Shearman, "accept the challenge."

Mr. Shearman was then about to read the sermon in which the invitation to communicants was extended, when Mr. Beach objected to him reading any portion or the whole of the article from which he had quoted.

Judge Neilson ruled that Mr. Shearman's objections would be in order when Mr. Beach closed his address.

Mr. Shearman said he would offer an objection to every quotation made by counsel from Beecher's writings.

The New Testament Growing Old.

The counsel then continued his citations. The counsel said that Beecher says many parts of the New Testament have grown old, and are out of date, and counsel said that if they could strike out the miracles, these evidences of the Godhead, why not strike out the Sermon on the Mount, and the Lord's Prayer, and when scoffers and sneerers doubted the authenticity of the Bible and the divine character of Christ, did not they point to the miracles He wrought? And he who blotted out one word of the holy inspiration doubted his God. On that memorable 1st of June, 1873, Beecher published a sermon in which he

Substantially Abolished Hell,

and said if one sinner was admitted to heaven, why not the second and third, and so on, until the last and bottom one of all. This was considered throughout the world, said Mr. Beach, as a denial of the existence of that place of future punishment denominated in the Bible as hell.

Counsel was endeavoring to show that when this man assailed other parties for their heresy and heterodoxy he should look well to his own doctrines.

Mr. Beach also quoted some remarks of Beecher's in regard to the sermon preached by Jonathan Edwards in respect to sinners in the hands of an angry God. Beecher had said that the reading of this sermon, by a person of weak nerves alone and at midnight, would be enough to make him insane.

The speaker then read an extract from a sermon preached by Beecher as indicating that the latter conceded that the soul must pass through some

Purification After Death

before its entrance into heaven, thus inculcating the doctrine of purgatory in opposition to the teachings of the Westminster catechism and the belief of orthodox Protestants. Beecher had not a very high opinion of orthodox churches. In one of his works he speaks of rich and orthodox churches being filled with practical infidelity on thoughts and doctrines which belong to such a church. Beecher had peculiar notions. He says the pulpit should be turned into a lyceum for the consideration of local or political topics that agitate society, and which may be properly admitted into the pulpit, and discussed by an anointed minister of God, and this custom had been followed by the pastor of Plymouth church. Beecher's sermons were filled with these worldly topics, and his expressions about them caused applause among his auditors.

In a late sermon of Beecher's, counsel had observed in the newspapers that laughter was caused by the great preacher fourteen times.

"But laughter is not applause," interrupted Mr. Shearman.

It is applause, continued Mr. Beach, and turning to the interrupter said: "My friend Shearman, I dare say, was the loudest laugher of them all."

How Beecher Prays.

Mr. Beach then said Beecher, in one of his sermons, says that he prays on the same principle that a cork is forced out of a bottle. A very good principle, commented the speaker, when the heart and soul are overflowing with religion.

The counsel then quoted

An Extract from one of Beecher's Talks,

in which he said he would rather have been the Prodigal Son than his brother, who was too stingy to get drunk and too unsympathetic to sin lasciviously.

Mr. Shearman asked from what that extract was taken, and Mr. Beach replied from a newspaper report, to which Mr. Shearman protested in a tone of great indignation that it was an outrage on justice, and that extracts were incorrectly reported he knew, and would pledge his professional word.

Mr. Shearman maintained that it was pretty evident that all this was not intended as evidence, but was calculated to prejudice the jury and the public against Beecher.

Judge Neilson stated that these extracts were not submitted to the jury as evidence, and asked Mr. Beach to proceed with his argument.

Shearman Getting Excited.

Mr. Shearman, excitedly—I protest against any further quotations.

Mr. Beach—Will my irrascible friend allow me to proceed.

Mr. Shearman—All this can have no effect at all.

Ex-Judge Morris—Well, it seems to have an effect on you.

Judge Neilson stated that he read a sermon of the Prodigal Son as reported in the *Christian Union*.

Mr. Porter arose and declared that he desired to take an exception to this remark of the Court.

Mr. Beach continued: He said it had been a marvel to the Christian world that when this trial was proceeding Beecher was able to contiune the funtions of his office, that through these four years of torture and anxiety this man had stood up

The Admired of all Admirers.

The jury did not understand the greatness of this man's character, his power and grandeur. He had a great iron will, which sustained him through these four years, when he was plunged in remorse and despair, and through this trial Beecher's whole estimate of this case was that on a certain day he was approached by Bessie Turner, who made distressing revelations to him concerning the troubles in the Tilton household. These troubles concerned a man whom he had known from boyhood. They resided in the same city. Yet Beecher tells you that without any consultation about the truth of these stories, without any effort at kindly remonstrance, Henry Ward Beecher, as he says, advises a separation. Then after a while comes a charge made by this man against Beecher—

A Charge of Inhuman Improprieties

with the wife of that man. Beecher says he believes that the charge was forced from the wife by the importunities of the husband, and in a newspaper Beecher eulogizes this disturber of his wife's peace and for three years praises him for his kind and friendly feelings toward him (Beecher) —this man who made the charges against Beecher and forced his wife into the accusation as a conspirator. Then, when Moulton came into the case, he learns he has alienated her affections from her husband and introduced discord into the household. Take this story in its imperfect outline, did it conform to the instincts of our nature, and were the statements of the defense acceptable to the judgment of this jury?

The counsel then submitted that they were incredirable and not worthy of belief, and if the jury examined it carefully they could not fail but see the faith of it and the evidence of an ingenious mind driven to the brink of remorse and despair.

A recess was here taken.

Mr. Beach then cited a number of instances in which American Courts had strongly reprobated the appearance of a lawyer in the dual character of counsel and witness. Would any gentleman of honor suppose that Tracy had a right to act as counsel for Mr. Beecher? Now, said counsel, Mr. Moulton swears on his direct testimony that he communicated to Tracy that Tilton preferred a charge of criminal intimacy with his wife against Mr. Beecher.

Tracy Hauled Over the Coals.

After the recess Mr. Beach resumed his argument. He said that he was obliged to speak with severity of a professional brother, and there was no more repulsive or disagreeable duty which a lawyer could have to perform than that. But as Mr. Tracy had seen fit to place himself upon the witness stand, and had contradicted three of the witnesses for the prosecution, he had no choice, and was compelled to consider his testimony together with the attitude which he occupied in this case. That witness had unequivocally contradicted Mr. Tilton, Mr. Moulton and Frank Woodruff on a material issue in this cause. He had played in this scandal a versatile part, and had filled all its phases with equal zeal and abandon. When Mr. Beecher's case was in sore need of a witness to contradict what was testified to by three witnesses for the plaintiff,

Tracy Leaped into the Breach

and sacrificed himself for his client. He stood in the same attitude as Beecher, opposing his unsupported word to that of three gentlemen whose reputation was equal to his own. Mr. Evarts and Mr. Porter had said that the action of Mr. Tracy had received their sanction. He had the greatest respect and regard for these gentlemen, professionally and socially, but on this point he was compelled to differ from their opinion and regard the course of Mr. Tracy as involving professional treachery and personal dishonor. [Applause.]

A Dual Character Reprobated.

Mr. Shearman interrupted here to state that Mr. Tracy had always been acting as counsel for Mr. Beecher. Mr. Tracy said the counsel and his advocates could not skulk away from the fact that he was acting as advocate of Mr. Tilton. The jury might remember that Tilton had told Tracy he did not understand the etiquette of the profession, and Tracy replied that no matter about the etiquette of the profession, he would protect his relations at all hazards. Tracy and his friends had challenged this issue, and they must meet it.

If the profession will tolerate such a breach of faith as that, it will become, and ought to become, a by-word and a scorn.

Mr. Beach read the resolution entered into by lawyers against abandoning one side of a case and taking up the other. I leave that part of the subject, and only regret that I had to refer to it. The subject will be left to the consideration of others.

The Last Appeal.

My argument now is finished. All these disagreeable circumstances are past, and I am glad I am free from them. We have communed for some time on great themes associated with the highest interests of humanity—truth and morality. All the great topics which stir humanity have mingled in our communion. If anything can exalt us to a nobler conception of the beauties of the truth, it is a scene like this, so full of grave responsibilty. I have felt my inability worthily to meet the duties of my position in the face of adversaries so cunning of fence. But the race is not always to the swift nor the battle to the strong. I have little faith in my own skill, but I have an infinite trust in that justice which rules the world and notes the fall of the sparrow. On the coat-of-arms and seal of your city is the motto

"Right Makes Might,"

and on any day of a public celebration it shines upon the flag which is flung out from the dome of your city hall. It is the one which encourages and strengthens weakness in its contest with arrogance and power. It is the sentiment which has sustained my client in all the difficulties and discouragements of this trial, and which will sustain and eventually, I trust, redeem him, because it bears the promise of Him whose word shall never fail. Wearied and worn with this trial, I yet part from you with a respectful regret. Our long association, bringing us into intimacy, impresses me with kindly sentiments and interest for each one of you. We have stood before this community, animated by a common object, seeking after the right in honest sincerity, and without distemper, free from turbulent influence, anxieties and sympathies of an excited people, actuated by a desire to uphold the strong pillars of the temple of truth and honesty, and to preserve the altar of God from the efforts aimed at its ruin.

The Struggle this Day

is between the law and a great character and a great church. If the latter triumph and the law is trodden down, woe unto him who calleth good evil and evil good. May it please your Honor, it need not that I should express the common sentiment of my associates and myself as we recall the indulgent dignity and fearless learning with which you have guided us through the tangled mazes of this trial. You can receive no nobler tribute than that offered by our adversaries. Fighting every step of the case, sprinkling the record all over with exceptions, they have acknowledged the entire accuracy of your numerous decisions. You have the gratification to know that you have worked no injustice to this defendant. I indulge the hope that the feeling of regard with which you have honored me will, as will my own warn feelings towards yourself, grow and increase after the close of those toilsome days. I cannot close without expressing my grateful thanks to my noble friends and associates. If any merit has attended my efforts, it is due to their sagacity and wise prompting. Posting me

In Front of the Battle

they have still stood as its leaders. It has been a great loss that by unavoidable circumstances my friend General Pryor has been so much away from the case. If he has not stricken so many blows in the field, he has been the wisdom of our cabinet. Deeply are we all indebted to his ready and large learning and judicious counsel. You will credit me when I declare that the duty I have performed has been unwelcome and painful. I have not spoken aught in malice. I leave this cause without the slightest asperity of feeling toward any one, filled with unaffected admiration of the transcendent qualities of my distinguished antagonists. No one admires more largely than myself the magnificent genius of this defendant. Rich as he is in mental endowments, prodigal as his labors have been, they cannot shelter an offence against the law. Genius as lofty could not save Bacon. He sinned and fell, and upon his memory history has written the epitaph: "The wisest, greatest, meanest, of mankind." Towards great men in disgrace like these who fall, Whittier, New England's gifted poet, writes in his poem called "Ichabod:"

"So fallen, so lost, the light withdrawn which once he bore,
The glory of his gray hairs gone forevermore.
Revile him not."

Mr. Beach then submitted the cause to the jury by reading an extract from an address of Daniel Webster. The extract was an admonition to jurors to do their whole duty according to their oaths, regardless of consequences.

Hearty applause followed.

Requests to Charge.

Mr. Abbott then said they had a number of requests to charge, and asked if his learned friend desired to make any.

"We have none to make," said Mr. Beach. "We will hear your requests now," said Judge Neilson.

Mr. Abbott then read the requests to charge, which were very voluminous and fifty-five in number, and of which a copy was handed to the Court.

During his reading of requests, Mr. Abbott quoted from several authorities, to which Morris objected, on the ground that the counsel was using arguments; but Judge Neilson said that the reading of them could do no harm. "Anyway," said he, "they all relate to divorce cases, and I am perfectly familiar with them."

When Mr. Abbott had finished his reading, Mr. Beach arose, and requested the Court to appoint some time and place for the hearing of an application to reopen the case, on the ground of newly-discovered evidence.

To this Judge Neilson stated that he would like to hear what the defense had to say about it, but Mr. Evarts replied that they had nothing to say in the matter.

Judge Neilson said that there was no necessity for fixing a time and place to hear the motion, as no objection was raised by the other side, and that if the affidavits which the counsel said he had to sustain the application were given him, he would examine them and give his decision to-morrow before he began his charge. The affidavits were then passed up to His Honor, and the Court adjourned.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, June 23, 1875.

Tweed.

Tweed was visited in Ludlow street jail to-day by his family and counsel, but refuses to see any others. His health and spirits seem much improved by the change. It could not be ascertained when the $3,000,000 bail in the civil suit would be given, but it is generally believed that his imprisonment will not extend over two or three days.

Suit Against Peter B. Sweeney.

The complaint in the suit brought in the name of the people against Peter B. Sweeney, to recover over $7,000,000, alleged to have been fraudulently abstracted from the treasury of the county of New York, was yesterday filed in the County Clerk's office.

"Crooked" Whisky Condemned.

A quantity of whisky shipped from the West, and recently seized as "crooked," was condemned in the United States Court yesterday, no claimants for it appearing.

ASHTABULA county, Ohio, was the scene of a murder last week. On Tuesday, a man named John Reedy, about twenty-four years old, entered the house of his brother Charles, in Richmond township, after the latter had retired to bed, drew a revolver, firing at him three times, the shots all taking effect in the head of the victim. Charles' wife was in bed with him at the time and her screams brought the neighbors to the house, and John was arrested and taken to jail. Charles died from the effects of his wounds on Friday morning, June 18th.

SECOND EDITION.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Gladstone to Resume the Leadership of English Liberals.

Yellow Fever on an American Frigate.

GREAT BRITAIN.

A War Cloud Dispelled.

LONDON, June 23.—It is officially announced that the King of Burmah has given a satisfactory explanation of his course of action to Sir Douglas Forsyth, the British envoy. War is now considered improbable.

LONDON, June 23.—The King of Burmah has granted to Great Britain the right to send forces through his dominions to western China, if requisite for future expeditions.

The Commercial Crisis.

Wilson & Armstrong, No. 69 Albermanbury, have failed. Liabilities, $1,000,000.

Leadership of the Liberals.

LONDON, June 23.—The *Sun* says it has undoubted authority for stating that after repeated conferences, Gladstone has promised to resume the leadership of the Liberal party next year.

The Contagious Diseases Act.

The House of Commons to-day, at the close of an animated debate, rejected the bill to repeal the contagious diseases act by a vote of 308 to 126. The Government opposed the bill on the ground that the act it sought to repeal afforded great protection to the army and navy.

An Anti-Revivalist.

The Bishop of Chichester, in a speech at a luncheon which followed the laying of the corner-stone of the chaple at Ardingley, expressed regret that Messrs. Moody and Sankey had been allowed to hold a meeting near Eaton. He contrasted the weakness of the authorities there now with the vigor which had been shown in former times. Then Moody and Saneky might have fallen on their knees before such a privilege as that recently obtained by them would have been granted.

The Revival Meetings in Liverpool Closed.

LONDON, June 23.—The revival preachers have closed their meetings in Liverpool. The expenses have exceeded the contributions $8,000.

SOUTH AMERICA.

Yellow Fever on an American Frigate.

NEW YORK, June 23.—The *Anglo-Brazilian Times* (of Rio), May 22, says the American frigate Lancaster, which lost a doctor and several seamen here, took the yellow fever with it to Bahia, and other medical men and officers died on the passage. By permission of the Minister of Marine, the frigate obtained a Brazilian naval doctor to go with the vessel to the United States.

A British Steamship Sunk.

The British steamship Amazon is reported by telegram to have sunk off Para. The crew and passengers were saved, and it was expected that a large part of the cargo would be got out.

FRANCE.

A Flood in the Garonne River.

PARIS, June 23.—Heavy rains have caused an unexpected overflow of the river Garonne. Two bridges and many houses have been carried away. Toulouse is inundated. The waters are still rising, and the situation is serious. The hospital is threatened and the patients have been removed.

BELGIUM.

Amending the Criminal Laws.

BRUSSELS, June 23.—The Chamber of Representatives has passed a bill making an offer to commit a crime an offense, and prescribing penalties therefor. The vote stood 75 yeas to 6 nays.

GERMANY.

Prohibiting Public Religious Processions.

BERLIN, June 23.—The German Government is preparing a parliamentary measure prohibiting public religious processions. This is aimed at the Catholics.

POLITICAL.

An Independent Party Movement in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 23.—The Independents of this State met in Convention, and nominated Gen. Bidwell for Governor, and Pacheco for Lieutenant Governor. The principles of the Convention held at Sacramento in 1873 were reaffirmed. The platform attacks the railway monopoly of the State, and promises speedy reforms. The water and gas monopolies of San Francisco are severely denounced for violations of their charters. The question of finance is not alluded to.

New York Prohibition State Convention.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., June 23.—The Prohibition State Convention completed its organization this forenoon, and nominated part of the State ticket, as follows: Secretary of State, G. D. Duzenberry; Controller, Anson A. Hopkins; Treasurer, Stephen B. Ayers.

A recess was then taken.

The following is the remainder of the ticket: State Engineer and Surveyor, Geo. A. Dudley; Canal Commissioner, Ira D. Bell; State Prison Inspector, John B. Gibb; Attorney General, Eli T. Marsh. Strong prohibition resolutions were adopted, and the Convention adjourned *sine die.*

THE WEATHER.

OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER,
UNITED STATES SIGNAL SERVICE,
PITTSBURGH, PA., June 23, 1875.

Local Observations.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Humidt.	Wind.	Weather
7 A. M.	29.880	70	84	W. Gentle	Fair.
2 P. M.	29.846	87	48	S.W Fresh	Fair.
9 P. M.	29.842	78	69	S.W.Gentle	Clear.

Mean Barometer, 29.847.
Mean Thermometer, 78.
Highest Thermometer, 89.
Lowest Thermometer, 67.

GEO. H. ROHE,
Sergt., Sig. Service, U. S. A.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, 1 A. M., June 24, 1875.

Probabilities for To-Day.

For the Atlantic States, stationary or falling barometer, warmer, clear or partly cloudy weather, and southeast to southwest winds, with possibly occasional rain near the mountains.

The lower Ohio will rise slightly.

CHICAGO.

The First Man Who Recruited a Colored Regiment — Examining the Distillers' Books.

CHICAGO, June 23.—John Johnson, the colored man who was shot last night while resisting officers of the law, was the first man to recruit a colored regiment during the war. He was formerly a preacher in the South. His son, who helped him and assaulted several policemen, was held over on three charges in the sum of five hundred dollars for each this morning. The case willcome up on the 13th proximo. None of the policemen are dangerously hurt.

The United States authorities this morning commenced an examination of the distillers' books. Those of the Lake Shore Distillery Company were gone through with, but nothing detrimental to the company was discovered.

SPORTING NEWS.

Race at East Saginaw, Mich.

DETROIT, June 23.—This was the second day of the race at East Saginaw. The three races to-day were quite exciting, less time being lost in scoring than yesterday.

2:44 race, $1,500 premium; 5 starters, 6 entries. The race was won by Richard Penniston's Richard in three straight heats, Lady Turpin second; time 2:33, 2:31, and 2:31.

In the 2:23 race, for a premium of $1,500, there were six starters. The race was won by Brother Jonathan, Mollie Morris second, Fred. Hooper third; time 2:25¼, 2:26 and 2:24¼.

Pacing race, premium of $800, open for all; 4 entries, 3 starters. The race was a close contest between Sleepy George and Granger, the former winning in three straight heats; time 2:25¾, 2:20 and 2:22½.

Single Scull Race on Harlem River.

NEW YORK, June 23.—A single scull race for the amateur championship of the United States took places to-day on the Harlen river between Frank E. Yates, of Grand Haven, Mich., and Richard B. Bainbridge, of the Atlanta Boat Club, three miles straight away. The race was won by Bainbridge in twenty-two minutes and forty-eight seconds.

An Indian War Imminent.

OMAHA, June 23.—Prominent frontiersmen and army officers express the opinion that there will be great trouble with the Sioux, Cheyennes and Arrapahoes this summer and fall. At least five large war parties have left the reservations in the last two weeks. The cavalry in this department are unable to keep them on the reservations. It will be impossible for the soldiers to guard the Black Hills and attend to the Indians.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Black Hills Gold Fields.

Unfavorable Reports from Prof. Janney.

New Counterfeit National Bank Notes.

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1875.

The Black Hills.

The following dispatch has been received at the Indian Bureau, from Prof. Janney, dated camp on French creek, near Harney's Peak, June 17, 1875:

Hon. E. P. Smith: I have discovered gold in small quantities on the north bend of Castle creek in terraces or bars of quartz gravel. We arrived here yesterday. About fifteen miners have located camps on the creek above here, and have commenced working. Gold is found from Castle creek southwardly to French creek at this point, and the deposits are almost wholly in Dakota. The region has not been fully explored, but the yield of gold thus far has been quite small, and the reports of the richness of the gravel bars are greatly exaggerated. On French creek the deposits of gravel are very unfavorably situated. The water supply is small and failing, and the grade too little to admit of the tailings being carried off by a stream. The prospect at present is not such as to warrant extended explorations in mining.

[Signed.] W. P. JANNEY,
E. M. G. Expedition.

The Disaster to the Saranac.

The Navy Department is in receipt of a despatch from Admiral Cochrane, of her Majesty's steamship Repulse, dated Vallejo, June 21, announcing the disaster to the Saranac. The Admiral says: "I have despatched her Majesty's ship Myrmidon to assist in every possible way. I leave on my flag-ship immediately on the same service."

A New and Dangerous Counterfeit

was discovered at the National Bank Redemption Agency of five dollar notes of the First National Bank of Canton, Ill. This is evidently changed from the plate on which the counterfeit on the Traders' National Bank of Chicago and the First National Bank of Paxton, Ills., was printed.

Internal Revenue Appointments.

The following Internal Revenue appointments were made to-day: Richard Archdeacon, Storekeeper of the Seventeenth Ohio District; Elias Ulmsnyder, Gauger of the Thirteenth Illinois, and G. D. Capron, First Missouri District.

BISHOP BOWMAN INSTITUTE.

The Commencement Exercises Yesterday.

Yesterday morning the commencement exercises of the Bishop Bowman Institute were held at St. Peter's Episcopal church, Grant street. There was a good audience in attendance, and the occasion proved to be one of great interest. The graduating class consisted of Miss Clara E. Reed, Miss Ella Young and Miss Lillia Von Bonnhorst. At 10 o'clock they entered the church headed by Bishop Kerfoot, Rev. Mr. Coster, Rev. Mr. Smith, of Uniontown, Rev. Mr. Mills, and others, and followed by the pupils of the Institute.

Morning service was then held, after which an address was delivered to the students by the Rev. W. H. Mills, of Erie. This was followed by another address by Rev. R. J. Coster, the Principal of the Institute, who awarded the prizes, as follows: The thre Bishops' prizes, for proficiency in English studies, were distributed among the following students: First prize, senior department, "Irving's Life of Washington," to Miss Amy Hostettar. Second prize, middle department, to Miss Maud Means. Third prize, "Livingstone's Last Journey," to Miss Effie Watson. The French prize was awarded to Miss Lillie Von Bonhorst. The drawing prize, a painting in water colors, to Miss Annie Reed. For good department in two years in the senior class, Miss Ella Young was awarded the prize. The mathematical prize was awarded to Miss Tillie Walters. The gold medal for general proficiency in all the branches was awarded to Miss Clara E. Reed, of Dixmont.

After the prizes had been distributed, Bishop Kerfoot presented the graduates with diplomas and made a brief address. He said the Institute had never been in a more prosperous condition. The entrance upon its new headquarters on Penn avenue had given it a fresh impulse. However, to put it on a perfect financial basis and supply it with all the needed apparatus, there was a need for about $20,000 which he hoped would soon be forthcoming from the pockets of the generous hearted, who favored educational enterprises.

The exercises were then closed with the singing of a hymn and the benediction.

AMUSEMENTS.

Pittsburgh Opera House.

Owing to the fact that the exercises of the graduating class of the High School will be held at the Opera House to-night, Bryant's Minstrels will not perform. They give an entertainment this evening at Wheeling, W. Va., but will return to-morrow night, when there will be an entire change of programme.

Musical and Dramatic Notes.

MR. BROUGHAM has written a play for Miss Clara Morris.

CHARLOTTE CUSHMAN is at Newport, recruiting, according to ill-natured people, for next season.

JOHN T. RAYMOND, Maurice Grau, C. A. Chizzola, Mrs. Rousby and Mrs. Van Zandt have gone to Europe.

A LONDON paper announces that some difficulty has arisen with respect to Von Bullow's visit to America.

THE price of opera ought to come down with a run. There are 300 American girls in Milan alone studying for the operatic stage.

SOME pretty sizable fortunes have been accumulated in the minstrel business. Tony Pastor is probably the wealthiest variety manager, and is supposed to be worth about $100,000. Dan Bryant made $75,000 by the minstrel business, and $20,000 by delineations of Irish characters; but he was generous and liberal, and no money manager, and was by no means wealthy when he died, at the age of about thirty-eight, leaving a widow and four or five children. All sorts of amusement establishments in New York, and many outside of the city, gave entertainments for the benefit of his family, turning over to them the entire receipts, and some $20,000 were thus realized. Neil Bryant is said to be worth $50,000; Lon Morris, $100,000; W. W. Newcomb, $28,000; Wm. Arlington, $10,000; Frank Brower (dead) over $15,000; Birch, Wambold & Backus, each $30,000; Carncross & Dixey, each over $40,000; Kelley & Leon, each $18,000; Ben Cotton, $10,000; Lew Benedict, $25,000; Billy Emerson, $20,000; Simmons & Slocum, each $10,000; Harrigan & Hart, $15,000 each. Hooley made $150,000 in Brooklyn, but has probably lost most of it in Chicago. Sam. Sanford, once the wealthiest minstrel manager, lost over $60,000.

STATE BREVITIES.

TUESDAY of last week, as Sarah Ann Huss, of West Nottingham, Chester county, aged about sixty years, was alone smoking her pipe, her clothes caught fire from the latter when she ran outdoors in her fright where she fell and was found lying dead, having died from her terrible injuries, all of her clothes having been burned off of her.

MRS. SARAH KIRKPATRICK, mother of J. D. Kirkpatrick, of Liberty township, died at the residence of her son, on Thursday morning, the 10th inst., in the eighty-seventh year of her age. She was one of the oldest residents of the county, having removed to this section about the year 1814. She taught school in this place in 1815-16. Hon. W. Stewart and W. S. Garvin being among her pupils, and the only ones now living in this section. Her life was an active and useful one, and her end was peace.—*Mercer Dispatch.*

MR. CLARENCE TIDBALL, of New Castle, Pa., is the owner of a living curiosity or rather monstrosity in the shape of a Brahma chick, seven weeks old, which has three legs and two excremental apertures. The supernumary leg is attached to the posterior part of the rump, and hangs down behind it with the appearance of being fastened to its tail. It is a fine looking and very healthy chick, is of a whitish color, and, we may add, presents the appearance of being a male bird. Owing to the fact that its hen mother persisted in pecking its redundant extremity, Mr. Tidball is keeping it in a coop by itself, where he feeds and cares for it.—*New Castle Gazette.*

LAST week, a young boy, son of Moses Matson, blacksmith at Humphreyville, East Fallowfield township, Chester county, met with a terrible accident, by which he lost his life. The boy was engaged guarding some cattle for Newton Phillips, in the meadow land along the Penn'a & Delaware Railroad, about a mile and a half below Pomeroy station. For some reason not known he went upon the trestle work of the railroad close by, and lay down between two of the large timbers in the centre of the track. Whether he fell asleep or not we cannot say, but just as a train of cars neared the bridge he raised his head above the track. The engineer saw the boy, but at almost the same instant the cowcatcher struck him, slashed him upon the track, and horrible to relate, cut his body in half —several of the cars passing over him.

The Greatest Supply of Fire Works ever received in the city, at L. T. Yoder's, No. 51 Smithfield street.

Parties Wishing to Buy Fire Works of any kind will save 25 per cent. by buying them at No. 51 Smithfield street.

REVIEW OF "BLACK ROBES."*

Second Paper.

The author of this extraordinary book, the production of a professed Protestant, who lavishes extravagant laudations upon those Janizaries of Rome, the Jesuits, and of a professed Presbyterian, who bitterly, and without stint, reviles and scoffs at the early missionary labors of his own Church, gives us over ninety pages of ridicule and abuse under the title: "The Methodist." Lest, however, I should trespass too far upon the columns of the GAZETTE, I pass over the topic of Methodism with a couple of quotations, showing by the sample the gall and bitterness of the whole. The Methodists are quite able to defend both themselves and their spiritual ancestors, if, indeed, they imagine such profane, almost blasphemous mockery, as the following, demands any notice. In describing the exercises of a person who has been awakened to a sense of his guilt and danger, the author writes thus: "It is the dawn of a new and momentous era in his life. Like an attack of the *bowel complaint* or the measles, and with symptoms as clearly marked through the various stages of progress, it lays hold of him, vexes him and brings him down."—Page 203.

This brilliant explanation of conviction of sin seems greatly to please the author, and accordingly on page 242 he repeats thus: "The work (of conversion) once under headway, advances with astonishing progress. If the spiritual frame were liable to like infirmities with the physical, the inference would seem natural and reasonable that some *colicky distemper* of soul had suddenly broken out, racking the patient with ache and pang and spasm; and that after all, the conclusions of Wangomen the Delaware (Indian) were not wholly whimsical, *nor jalap and ipecac* to be despised as a physic for the disorder." It is hardly to be questioned that the poor savage whom he quotes, was quite as enlightened in spiritual things as the author of "Black Robes."

But we must hasten on to the subject of Presbyterianism, which occupies the concluding eighty-five pages of the volume.

In regard to the noble band of ministers who laid the foundation of the Presbyterian Church in this Western wilderness,—such men as Power, Smith, McMillan and others, we have only to read such works as the late venerable Dr. Elliott's "Life of McCurdy" to form a very high estimate of their pious zeal, activity, courage and abundant labors and success in the cause of Christ. Yet of these devoted men, one of the most distinguished and useful pastors affirms, the author of "Black Robes" has uttered "an *atrocious outrage* upon their memory." This pastor, we may remark, is not a member of the *persecuting* Presbytery of Allegheny! And another distinguished brother of a sister denomination recently said to the writer of this Review, that the book, "Black Robes," was "venomous;" but we must let the author speak for himself.

1. Of the Presbyterians of those early times we have the following picture of their morals: "Wrongs done had to be righted to the fullest degree of compensation. If a man caused a blemish in his neighbor, as he had done, so was it to be done to him. It was *bounden duty* to duplicate a crime,"—"to smite for having smitten, to murder for having murdered. Such was his (the Presbyterian's) standard of equity, in which he delighted," p. 285.

Again, p. 286, we read of the Presbyterian: "To forgive absolutely was to forget *all obligation and to sin unpardonably.*" He had no feeling. His nerves were steel, his blood was very snow broth." Hard, uncompromising, compassionless, the very virtue—the *summum jus* in which he gloried, was the vice, the *summa injuria* that told most to his shame." Thus we are told, "measured by the pure standard of the Gospel, he was lamentably wanting. As the law knew not charity, neither did he." Such being the morals of the people, of course such must have been the teachings of the ministers. "Like people like priest." 2. Of the sort of preaching employed by those early Presbyters we read: "It seems almost incomprehensible, how out of a series of exercises so frigid and formal, it should be possible for other than formal and frigid effects to proceed;" and yet we have the evidence that *the miracle* could happen; that a homily of Smith's or McCurdy's could arouse to enthusiasm, &c." And of the results of such "purely doctrinal sermons" he says, "That men of information, of strong nerves and vigorous understandings, to say nothing of women and children, should have been overcome—'popped down like pigeons'—by orthodox knocks such as these, is certainly astonishing, and is about the best evidence that could be quoted in proof of the presence of a supernatural agency in the work. That there was an influence more than human astir was generally conceded among the members; but whether it emanated *from above* or *proceeded from below* was a controverted point." "To say that the devil could not have been its author seems rather like an intimation that there was plausible reason to suspect he was, &c." (p. 345.)

Such is the profane mockery which the author of "Black Robes" thinks suitable in speaking of one of the most remarkable revivals of religion that has ever occurred on this Continent, perhaps in the world, known as "the great Buffalo Sacrament"—a work of Divine grace and mercy which such writers as the late Drs. Elliott, Smith and others have felt it to be their happy privilege to place on record as a most marvellous display of Divine compassion and power, and always to be joyfully remembered as matter of devout thanksgiving to the God of all grace. Yet this writer rather seems to side with those who think the devil was its author!

The author of "Black Robes" is well known as the senior editor of the *Leader*, of which he is also a large stockholder. Of course it is quite in harmony to read in a recent number of that sheet the following notice of a prominent minister of our own day; of "Mr. Hammond and other similarly constituted revivalists," such terms as these are employed: "Mischievous teachings," "subverting the best interests of religion and society," "crazed fanaticism," "a more fruitful exciting cause of insanity than intemperance or any other vice," abusing the confiding simplicity of mere babes, which, if perpetrated with knowledge, would be lightly recompensed with a horse-whipping," spiritual assassins of infancy," "fit for any asylum for lunatics." It was of these forms of speech, used by "Black Robes" and the *Leader*, that a pious friend remarked: "They seem to approach very near the sin against the Holy Ghost."

In regard to the personal habits and appearance of the noble band of ministers of that day, we have no heart to dwell upon the ribaldry which flows from the pen of the author. Of McMillan, he says: "He was usually dressed like the Jack of Spades, with boots like a ten gallon keg." Of Finley: "While duly attentive to Spiritual affairs," "it was possible, *as he saw it*, to serve God and yet lend some little allegiance to Mammon too." Of Joseph Smith: "He was known as "Hell-fire Smith." "His preaching was of that kind that drives a man into the corner of his pew and makes him think the devil is after him." All persons of sense know that those were times of great simplicity of manners and dress, both with pastors and people, and this from necessity as well as from the principle of economy. "Black Robes" might as well sneer at him who "was girded with a leathern girdle and whose food was locusts and wild honey"—as at McMillan and his devoted compeers.

On the subject of the sanctification of the Lord's Day, "Black Robes" perhaps slightly exceeds his usual style of eloquence, as of course becomes him, the editor of the *Sunday Leader*. Thus he tells us of certain "sins," one and all of rankest odor, that smelt to Heaven." In this list of "sins" he places "reading (except a treatise on justification or the decree") "to talk, (unless upon some topic drawn from the confession of faith,") "to laugh from any cause." "Only one indulgence on the Sabbath was granted"—"Monongahela" whisky, "and the Presbyterian could take his toddy when and where he pleased, hot or cold—without offence." Well might my honored brother of a sister church pronounce "Black Robes" venomous. Can any man of sense believe such tales as these of McCurdy, McMillan and the rest?

KNOX.

*Black Robes, or Sketches of Missions and Ministers in the Wilderness and on the Border. By Robert P. Nevin.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞SALE OF FORFEITED STOCK.

OFFICE MASS MINING COMPANY,
No. 47 Fifth avenue.
PITTSBURGH, PA., June 2, 1875.

Notice is hereby given that all stock of this Company on which the installment levied October 8th, 1874, is due and unpaid, has been declared forfeited, and unless payment of amount due on same is made on or before 12 o'clock NOON, OF JULY 3D, 1875, said stock will be sold for default; that of stockholders other than residents of Michigan at the office of the Secretary of the Company, 47 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, at the time named; and stock of the residents of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, at the Court House, in Ontonagon, in said State, at 12 o'clock NOON, JULY 24TH, 1875; and stock of the residents of the Lower Peninsula of the State of Michigan will be sold at the Court House, in Detroit, in said State, at 12 o'clock NOON, JULY, 17TH, 1875.

By order of the Board of Directors,
JAMES W. BROWN, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS,
FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

☞DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they will receive prompt attention.

R. H. SMITH, Inspector.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE HAZELWOOD OIL CO.,
PITTSBURGH, June 14, 1875.

☞THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the HAZELWOOD OIL CO. have this day declared a dividend of THREE DOLLARS PER SHARE, payable on and after June 21st.

q55 W. C. WHITE, Secretary.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
Office of the Secretary, No. 81 4th avenue,
JUNE 17, 1875.

The Examination of Pupils

For admission to the Central High School, will commence on

Monday, June 28th, at 9 O'Clock A. M.,

At the High School Building, corner Bedford and Fulton streets.

q83 C. A. KEHEW, Secretary.

OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER,
PITTSBURGH, June 23, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until 12 M., SATURDAY, July 3d, 1875, for BREAKING STONE, under the supervision of the Road Committee, on the following streets:

200 perches on East End avenue.
500 " on Frankstown avenue.
800 " on Wilkins avenue.
500 " on Greenfield avenue.
1,200 " on Hazelwood avenue.
506 " on Oakland avenue.
250 " on Park avenue.
500 " on Centre avenue.

Specifications to been seen at Office of City Engineer. The Committee on Roads reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

R. M. SNODGRASS, Controller

FLOUR AND FEED

2,000 bbls choice Brands Flour.
100 bbls choice Rye Flour.
1,000 sacks Corn Meal.
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50 tons Bran.
50 tons Chop Feed.
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Notice to Bridge Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the County Controller, until TUESDAY, July 6, 1875, for the construction of the masonry and superstructure of a County Bridge over Chartiers Creek, on the line of Steubenville turnpike. Superstructure to be of iron, high truss or arch, single clear span between top of abutments 130 feet, clear width of roadway 16 feet, working capacity 1,800 lbs. per lineal foot, exclusive of dead load, factor of safety 5, ultimate strength of wrought iron 50,000 lbs. in extension, 40,000 in compression, with Gordon's formula applied. Detailed strain and section sheets must accompany each proposal.

Also, for the construction of the masonry and wooden superstructure of a bridge, 40 feet clear span, over Pine Fork, at McGown's tool factory, Snowden township.

One over Montour's run, at Mrs. Johnston's, Findley township, 40 feet clear span.

One over Spruce run, borough of West Bellevue; span 20 feet.

Also, the masonry of a bridge over Pine Creek, at Toner's, on the old Butler turnpike, in Hampton township.

Plans and specifications of the work will be found in the Office of the County Engineer, on and after Monday, the 28th inst.

By order of the County Commissioners.
J. B. STILLEY, County Engineer.
June 24, 1875. q84

[No. 46.]

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the construction of a Sewer on Washington street, from north side of Wylie avenue to Webster avenue.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of a Pipe Sewer, 18 inches in diameter on Washington street from the north side of Wylie avenue to a connection with the Webster avenue sewer, and to let the same in the manner directed by an act concerning streets, approved January 6, 1864, and the several supplements thereto, and Ordinances of Councils relative to the same. The cost and expense of the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled an Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the city of Pittsburgh, approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the passage of this Ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 31st day of May, A. D. 1875.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Approved June 3, 1875.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 4, page 109, 22d day of June, A. D. 1875. je24

SPRING, 1875.

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FORTIETH SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

DOLLAR SAVINGS BANK,

124 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

LIABILITIES.

Amount due depositors June 1, 1875	$3,847,925 03
Dividend	105,786 12
Contingent Fund	186,425 42
Total Liabilities	$4,140,137 47

ASSETS.

Loans on Bonds and Mortgages	$2,865,515 33
Mortgage int. due	19,095 80
Bills Receivable	4,000 00
Stock in Pittsburgh banks	71,634 04
U. S. 5-20 bonds, 1868	350,000 00
U. S. six per cent. Bonds, 1881	50,000 00
U. S. six per cent. Currency Bonds	400,000 00
Real Estate	155,829 08
Bank, Furniture, Safe, &c	12,071 05
Cash in Banks and on hand	221,531 27
Total Assets	$4,140,137 47

Present number of depositors 9,759, averaging $405 13 each.

JUNE 1ST, 1875.

The undersigned, Auditing Committee, respectfully report that they have examined the Treasurer's report for the last six months, ending May 31st, 1875, and have examined the Assets of the Bank, consisting of Bonds and Mortgages, Deeds of Real Estate, Certificates of Bank Stocks, Bills Receivable, U. S. Government Bonds, and the Cash in Bank, (as per bank books) and on hand, and find the same to correspond with the above report.

P. H. HUNKER,
GEO. D. BRUCE,
MALCOLM HAY,
JAMES D. KELLY,
Auditing Committee.

JUNE 5TH, 1875.

The Trustees have declared a dividend of three (3) per cent. for the last six months, ending May 31st, 1875, free from government tax, and payable forthwith. If not drawn will bear interest from 1st inst.

CHAS. A. COLTON, Treasurer.

Pittsburgh, June 18, 1875. q69

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GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 117⅛.

A THIRD PARTY, called the People's Independent Party, has sprung up in California. It is so prolific in resolutions that we judge it will amount to little. Its chief issue is the railroad question, and its attitude is identical with that of the Republican party. The new movement has no decent excuse for its pretensions.

THE Philadelphia *Times* is authority for the statement that the prospects for peaches at the east were never better. The owners of orchards are troubled to know what to do with the super-abundant crop that is coming forward. This is a gratifying fact, and will serve to relieve the apprehensions of a meagre fruit yield.

THE Pennsylvania Railroad and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, it is reported, have agreed to give Pittsburgh greatly reduced rates from the East on all classes of freight. This is a concession that has been needed and very earnestly sought after, and is very favorable to our business men. When the war was settled, it was thought rates would go up, and the decline accorded is a very agreeable surprise.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY is reported in good fortune once more. The stock has been a footfall for the bears for a time, but if the news reported is finally confirmed, it must have an upward tendency. This is that the company is to receive the following subsidies in gold: From Costa Rica, $18,000; from Nicaragua, $12,000; from Honduras, $12,000; from Salvador, $15,000; from Guatemala, $25,000, from Mexico, $50,000; total, $167,000 in gold. Mr. Tisdale also made arrangements to recover $40,000 in gold from the Mexican Government, due for the past services of the Company. Other favorable combinations are reported, and the outcome is that Pacific Mail is once more the feature of the market.

WE publish, in another column, a communication, called out by the pertinacity with which the several delegates of the Shrievalty Convention held to their candidates. Unthinking persons imagine that there is something improper in such positive adherence to a given candidate, but precisely the opposite is the fact. It illustrated that there were no improper influences at all successful, and could not be. This represented a sterling devotion to principle that should everywhere be praised. What may be best for the party, so far as future operations go, or how the difficulty shall be disposed of, are altogether different questions. We doubt if even the candidates could have traded their delegates around at their personal whim, and this because every man felt that he was responsible as much to those who elected him, as to his candidate. It illustrated that a thoroughly independent spirit ruled.

IT is very evident that the Democracy have been split asunder by the financial part of the Ohio Democratic platform. The New York *World* is outspoken and bitter against it, as it is, indeed, against the Wallace faction of the Democracy in this State. It proclaims that the Democracy of New York will favor gold and silver as the only legal tender; no currency inconvertible with coin; and steady steps toward specie payments, with no steps backward. The New York *Tribune*, strange to say, tries more to put itself in accord with the Ohio Democracy than does the *World*. The latter journal, evidently, realizes a certain hopefulness if its party can be made to come up to its standard, and so does not spare those who disagree. Yet there can be no doubt that the Ohio platform expressed the prevailing sentiment on the financial question West. The *World* is really more correct when it aims its blows at the operations of the party leaders in this State. It charges that Wallace is responsible for the bad quality of the House, last Winter, and that its conduct was a serious injury to the prospects of the Democracy in this State. This circumstance is serving to widen the breach, which already has become quite serious.

THE gold seeker will now rule triumphant. The expedition sent to the Black Hills, to investigate, has reported gold at French Creek in paying quantities. So much is clear. Details are furnished of the quality and quantity of gold, and the result is, that the Black Hills become a very attractive point. It seems, too, that about a hundred miners were operating there, a fact which indicates either that there is little danger to be apprehended from Sioux, or that they have been evaded, in some manner. It now seems unfortunate that some arrangement could not have been made with the Chiefs, when in Washington, for the occupation of the Black Hills, at least for mining purposes. Of course there will be a rush for the Black Hills, and the many that will go will be amply able to care for the Indians that may attempt to bar the way. There is nothing so attractive, nor, indeed, so uncertain as well, as the excitement of gold hunting. For it, men will take their lives in hand, go out beyond the bounds of civilization, endure hardships, discomfort, and toil as they rarely toil at home,—in hope that they may suddenly become rich. There is all the fascination of gambling about it, and gold hunting is, thus, the most demoralizing influence known. If the reports made are confirmed, we shall have the full play of the fever, ere long.

THAT happily-born gentleman, the Prince of Wales, is fully occupied with his preparations for a journey to India. He is full of study, that he may gather the facts, and others are actively busy in making the proper material preparations. The details of plans have been changed very greatly. Instead of meeting him at Gibraltar, to accompany him to his destination, as was at first ordered, it has been lately announced that the East India flying squadron will meet the Prince at Aden, a port on the extreme south coast of Arabia, which is the regular calling and coaling place for East India ships. It appears that the change is a matter of economy on the part of Albert Edward. Hitherto the peregrinations of the Prince have been almost wholly those of a young man seeking pleasure and the satisfaction of a laudable curiosity, but, remarks a late writer, in India his position will be altogether unique; as the prospective sovereign of that swarthy race, he will have to be spectacular, or his journey will have been aimless. Economical ideas must for a time be suspended. It is certainly an old way, in these modern days, of securing the affections of an empire. But it cannot be said that the game is not worth the candle, and the pounds sterling. If, by sending the genial and travel-loving Prince masquerading through India, the English shall save the expense of a few Sepoy rebellions, and counteract the malign whisperings of Russian spies, the policy is a good, though to many it may seem a strange one. The only question that seems to be involved is whether at best, the Prince can sustain, with proper dignity, his self-imposed role.

IN addition to the particular subject, of which we treated on Monday, Mr. O'Conor, as we intimated, gave his views on the whole scope of political doctrine. The following is an epitome of his points: Government, he says, should be unseen and unfelt, as far as may be. It should be intrusted with the least possible power, and obliged to perform the fewest possible duties. All taxation should be direct. Trade should be absolutely free. The custom houses should be sold and the proceeds used to pay off the national debt. No further debt should be created in any shape or form. The only income should be from taxes. Government should have nothing to do with money beyond stamping upon specie the signs of the value of each particular coin. General laws should be passed for all business matter; for the formation of private and public corporations, etc., and there should be no private legislation whatever. We should have no armies, navies, forts, arsenals, military schools, etc. Our diplomatic corps should be abolished. Voting should be *viva voce*, not by ballot. Minority representation should not exist. There should be no laws regulating the hours of labor, and *no public schools*. Only a few officials should be elected,—"Say the Chief Executive and Legislature." Their terms should be short. Appointed officials should be removed only for fault or incapacity. "Faithful service and proved capacity are singular grounds of disqualification." A military commander should be ineligible to the Presidency until after a long interval. In densely-peopled districts, registry-laws should be in force. No person receiving pay from the public should be allowed to vote. The crime of assessing officeholders to pay the expenses of political campaigns should be severely punished. Some of these points are well enough, but many of them constitute a rehash of the oldest Bourbonism.

THE PIPER PLAYING.

We quite enjoy the serio-comic way in which the *Post* declares that it will support the newly nominated Democratic ticket "from top to bottom." This means a comprehensive, earnest, cordial, positive, and even joyful support; and if, with all this, the ticket should not be kept up, certainly no fault can attach to the organ. The truth is, the chief factor of the organ originated the ticket, and the Convention merely ratified the pre-arranged choice. Men rarely deny their own bantling; or if, from public or private considerations, they interpose a seeming denial of paternity, they love and fondle it all the more secretly. But there are some juicy facts connected with this ticket that are worth considering. The ticket, as we foretold, two weeks or more ago, it would be, is confined, in its selection of candidates, to this city. It was a Sunday afternoon's hatching, and the incubating was done under circumstances that could not include Allegheny or the country. Its selection was designed to illustrate the power of a single element in the party, which, were it in the Republican party, would be called a Ring. Thus there are several very potent reasons why it should be unanimously supported,—by the *Post*.

The ticket thus to be supported is, so far as we can see, made up of the old stock of frequently trotted out and oft-defeated candidates—the tired horses—with the exception of a juvenile employed about the office of the *Post*, who is set up for Recorder. Possibly Mr. Mechling is another exception, but as against Mr. Warner his chance is so small as to be hardly worth considering. Yet, as we understand it, Mr. Mechling was rather against than with the ruling faction, and received his nomination in spite of it. We will carefully notice just how enthusiastically the *Post* supports this particular candidate as compared with the others. We also wish to assure our cotemporary that its ticket will need all the support it can give it. We enjoy the idea that "*we* (the *Post*) will support the ticket from top to bottom." Of course that settles it. Doesn't the sun rise at one corner of the office of the *Post* and set at the other? Isn't its noble support the one factor necessary to success? Then, what a dash it all is against, say Moore, Hutchinson, Hopkins, and the like! The implication is, "What need has the Democratic party of the small poachers that have been following at our heels? This is *our* ticket, and *we* will support it from top to bottom." Ring down the curtain.

THE CONVENTION—WHAT NEXT?

Our news columns gave, yesterday morning, the final result of the contest in the Shrievalty Convention. The voting continued to the last without important changes, the delegates remaining firm to the candidates in whose interest they were elected. The unchangeableness of all concerned afforded a most convincing refutation of the oft-repeated idea that they are, or can be bought. We have had much of this kind of rumor, but certainly it will not apply to the delegates in the Shrievalty Convention. We also compliment the country delegates at the sacrifices made by them in coming to the city, and determining to stay until some satisfactory result should be reached. We realize, very forcibly, the importance of the country people being fully satisfied at the result attained, and there was no possible way in which this could be done, except by their being on hand, and firmly adhering to their choice. So much has been done, and now, after an orderly, but protracted session, an adjournment has been had.

We now submit that prior to the Convention being re-assembled, there should be an honest effort among the candidates to harmonize differences, and agree on an arrangement by means of which a nomination can be made. Once or twice during the night of the Convention, such an arrangement was nearly consummated, but it was prevented by the personal influence of one or two persons who are confident, under misapprehension as to the facts. There was really a fair feeling between the delegates, but the most absolute positiveness of purpose. The leading questions which usually govern such negotiations are, 1. Who has the most delegates? and 2. Who is most likely to be elected if nominated? The difference in the number of votes controlled by the three principal contestants is not material; but the relative probable strength of each before the people is a question of great importance. If the candidates cannot agree among themselves, and the present useless fight cannot be thus amicably ended, it must ultimately result in complications dangerous to the success of the party in the county, and thus in the State.

Many questions touching the charges that should be made, have been raised, and vainly discussed. On this subject we have nothing to propose at the present. Certainly the first thought should be the welfare of the party, and the very troublesome point developed as to what will be most to its interest. The importance of Allegheny county to the success of the State ticket cannot be too strongly considered. And it is useless to deny that there is an unsettled state of feeling among Republican voters which can readily be strengthened into a propensity to bolt, or to stay away from the polls. All tendencies toward such an arrangement, all influences that serve to weaken the cohesion of the party should be promptly put aside, and harmony and order developed. We do not wish, now, to make specific recommendations, but are clear in the idea that the party should not be made to suffer.

IN the papers of Guizot there have been found some additions to his memoirs, written in 1849, in which he details a conversation held that year with the Duchess of Sagan, the niece of Tallyrand. Guizot spoke of the Revolution of 1848 as not having produced a man, and the Duchess said she met in Germany a little Pomeranian named Bismarck, who would be talked of some day if he should live.

PERSONAL.

HENRIETTA ROBINSON, "the veiled murderess," managed to keep her cheeks tinted with red throughout her incarceration, and nobody has ever been able to learn where she obtained the essential rouge.

THE Providence *Journal* has discovered that a poem recited at the late Decoration Day celebration in that city, which evoked the warmest praise on every hand, was taken bodily from the works of Adelaide Anne Proctor.

THE Boston *Advertiser* recalls Lafayette's remark at the Bunker Hill dinner of 1825, that the toast of the next jubilee should be "Enfranchised Europe," and thinks that, whether the Marquis be called a Grandison or not, "it is fair to remember that he was at last a prophet."

MR. JOSEPH JEFFERSON, intending to be absent for two years in Europe on a professional tour, his "entire elegant private establishment," including horses, carriages and cattle, was sold at auction in New York on Saturday. The proceeds of the sale were about $2,200.

EX-SENATOR HARLAN has disposed of his interest in the Washington *Chronicle*, and goes West for the purpose, it is stated, of making another effort to be elected Senator from Iowa. The paper passes into the hands of Colonel William Penn Clark, who has for some time been a stockholder and an occasional contributor.

A BERLIN dispatch to the London *Standard*, describing the dinner to Mr. Carl Schurz says: "The speeches turned upon the double nationality of Schurz as a law-breaker in Prussia and a law-maker in America, with humorous allusions to the altered circumstances which have made the outcast of 1850 an honored guest in Berlin in 1875, and claimed as a National glory alike by Germany and America.

THE Leavenworth (Kan.) *Times*, describing the condition of Col. Anthony, says that he "is still lying on his back, patiently waiting the complete mending of the clavicle. The raising of the shoulder would bring an immense leverage upon the collar bone at the fractured points, and cause the jagged fragments to press down against, and perchance puncture the delicate tissue of the aneurismal sack which lies immediately below. Hence the necessity of absolute quiescence of that bone until the parts are not only knitted together firmly, but the space torn away by the ball actually filled in with new bone."

THE nomination of General S. F. Cary by the Ohio Democrats for the Lieutenant-Governorship has recalled some memories of his services in the northern part of New York several years ago, when he took the stump for the Republicans. His first speech was a great success, but auditors who went some distance to hear him again found that his repertory consisted of but one speech, and this he delivered at the same places on two successive years. The Troy *Times* says that while there "he purchased a gold-headed cane which he caused to be presented to himself, as a token of the high esteem in which his oratorical effort was held."

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

IOWA proposes to revoke the bounty on wolf scalps, and offer a bounty for dogs' scalps.

BARNUM'S balloon, in its latest ascent at Boston, landed with a number of unfortunate reporters in the harbor.

DURING the year ending April 1, 1875 there were exported to France from foreign countries 15,318,345 bottes of champagne. France herself consumes 3,000,000 bottles.

HALF a hog a piece is what the hog crop of this country would come to if divided up fairly among us—leaving out the young infants. Any one wishing our half hog can have it by merely enclosing one dollar.

THE leading insurance directors of Canada instruct their agents to take no new risks on certain lines of property except at very high rates. It is stated the Canadian insurance companies in the last fifteen days lost about $250,000.

AN exchange calls attention to the fact that the last time United States troops performed escort duty in Boston was when Anthony Burns, the escaped slave, was escorted down State street, to be returned to his owners.

ADVICES from China say that the disorder in Chin Kiang, growing out of the arrest of two native soldiers for insulting the American Consul and his wife, has subsided. The Chinese have partially satisfied the demands for reparation.

AN attempt was made some days ago in the Baltimore City Councils to cut off all sectarian appropriations from the city funds. The proposition was promptly defeated. The Democratic majority in Baltimore is ten thousand votes. Put that and that together.

ADVICES from Spotted Tail's Agency state that three large war parties left that vicinity on the 18th, one each for the Panca or Pawnee, Ute and Shoshone reservation. It is thought among the posted men that a gigantic Indian war is about to be inaugurated. Information has been sent to the Indian agent.

A FEW days since a farmer was telling in our hearing that he had planted an acre and a half of potatoes, and he feared they would be destroyed by the potato bugs. "Are the plants up yet?" asked a bystander. "No," replied the farmer, "but the darned bugs are sitting on every hill waiting for them."

THE dependence of foreign countries upon the United States for their breadstuffs supply is shown by a statement from the Agricultural Department, which gives the aggregate breadstuffs exportation in the last forty-nine years at $1,742,908,059. In 1874 the exportation was $161,225,931, an amount very much larger than that of any previous year.

A FEMALE clairvoyant physician died under peculiar circumstances at Greenfield, Mass., last Thursday. While attending a lady who was sick with diphtheria, she scratched her finger with a pin in arranging bandages on the neck of her patient. From this trivial accident, apparently, she became inoculated with the poison of the disease. Her hand, arm, and body became successively affected, having the appearance of being blistered, and so seriously as soon to end in death, although her throat showed no symptoms of diphtheria.

THE New York *Evening Express*, speaking of the unfortunate multiplication of small colleges, says: "Just now, within a few hours' ride of each other, there are three important universities, and all, it is said, doing better than ever before. We mean those at Ithaca, Syracuse, Schenectady, and we might add, the Rochester University. What might not these universities be if concentrated into one or two, as at Oxford and Cambridge, which have almost outlived the centuries? What qualification of professors, splendor of equipments, perfection of libraries, munificence of endowment, would not be the result of such concentration?"

CROSSING THE CHANNEL.

Captain Boyton's Sufferings on the Voyage.

Captain Boyton's experience in crossing the British Channel was not so delightful as to make other persons in haste to try a similar experiment. Dr. Diver, who attended him, gives these particulars of Capt. Boyton's sufferings on the voyage: "He was received on board the Prince Ernest at about 2:30 on Saturday morning, when he had been about 23½ hours in the water. He was perspiring very freely, complained of a general stiffness, with pains in his wrists from paddling. He stated that for the first few hours he suffered terribly, and that he even wished his dress might burst and he go down. He was very sleepy at this time, and actually slept in the water and dreamt, waking with a start and finding himself paddling. Some very strong green tea was given to him, which dispelled all his unpleasant symptoms. The last two or three miles, he said, seemed never-ending to him, and he would not again go through what he had experienced for any money. He was undressed, sponged and rubbed down, and placed in hot blankets. His face was very red, and in some places the skin had cracked from exposure to the sun and salt water. He was fatigued, but not very much considering what he had gone through. His face was greased and cold wet rags afterward applied to it, which relieved him much. His pulse was 71, and his temperature 99°. The action of his heart was feeble, but this is natural in him, and was observed on the former occasion. He was full of spirits at his success. In about an hour he walked to the Pavilion Hotel, looking, with the exception of his face, very little the worse for his interesting trip."

A Queer Contract.

An Iowa laborer has sued an old farmer on a rather queer contract. The man hired to the farmer on the condition that part of his wages would be paid in money, and that for the balance he should receive one of the old man's daughters in marriage. The labor was performed, and money paid, but the girl was not forthcoming. This was not the fault of the old man, but of his daughter, who refused to be made a subject of bargain and sale. Whereupon the laborer sued the father on the contract, but we are not informed whether the suit is for specific performance or for damages. If for damages, we apprehend that the laborer has a good cause for action, though his damages must be small, if proportioned to the value of an unwilling wife. The great suit of Jacob vs. Laban, 1st Moses, 39, does not afford a precedent, as it was compromised by the parties, and it seems that the legal talent of Iowa will be forced to wrestle with a new principle in jurisprudence. The case will be probably left to a jury, whose verdict will largely depend upon the matrimonial experience of its component parts.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

SAILING IN THE DARK.

The Schiller Disaster Investigated—Testimony of the Surviving First Officer—Fearful Consequences of the Captain's Neglect—How the Ship Come to Get Upon the Rocks—But Little Comfort for Americans who Expect to Sail Past Dangerous Rocks During the Present Season.

The first account of the loss of the steamship Schiller on the Retarrier Ledges that was transmitted by cable led many persons on this side of the Atlantic to suppose that it was one of those inevitable disasters against which no human skill or foresight could provide. The friends of those who were swallowed up in the great deep tried to console themselves with the reflection that they perished in obedience to a decree of Providence, in the execution of which neither the ignorance nor the recklessness of the officers of the ship had any part. Later investigations have dispelled this illusion. The commander of the Schiller no doubt supposed that he was doing his duty in bearing down on the English coast at half speed without knowing the position of his ship, or using the ordinary appliances for ascertaining whether he was still in deep water, or was on the shoals that fringe the shore. But, measured by the fearful consequences of his neglect, Capt. Thomas becomes a great criminal, whose gallantry in the hour of peril cannot save his memory from the reproach of those whose homes were desolated by the wild steering of his ship.

Although the Schiller was not a British ship, and the British Government had really no jurisdiction over the German sailors who were stranded on Bishop's Rock, unless to try them for a crime, nevertheless an investigation was ordered under the British Merchants' Shipping Act, and the officers were summoned into the Greenwich Police Court to tell what they knew about the disaster. The German Government acquiesced in the proceeding. The inquiry was directed to the following points: How did the Schiller get into the position in which she was lost? Did she use proper precautions during the fog, and especially during the last period? How came the fog bells from Bishop's Light to not be observed? Why were not more of the passengers and crew saved? Would any communication between the lighthouse and the shore have availed to prevent so great a loss of life?

The thousands of Americans who expect to sail past the dangerous rocks on which the Schiller was wrecked during the present year, will not derive much comfort from reading the evidence taken at this investigation. A correspondent of the New York *Tribune* furnishes an abstract of the testimony of Heinrich Hillers, the surviving first officer of the ill-fated ship, which is calculated to give those who contemplate a trip to London or Bremen, the impression that a successful voyage past the Scilly Islands is as much a matter of chance as of scientific calculation. Officer Hillers said that on the fatal homeward voyage they had varying winds, and during the last three days the weather was so foggy that the Captain was unable to take any observations except as to variations of the compass. After 8 o'clock on the Friday evening—the evening of the wreck—the fog became very thick, and at 9 o'clock the speed of the ship was slackened. She had hitherto been running at full speed—about 14 knots—and from 9 to half-past she run about 10 knots. At 9½ o'clock the course of the ship, which was then east 30 by south, was changed to south-southwest, and her speed still further slackened to six or seven knots. The wind was then from the southwest. This portion of the evidence deserves special attention, for it bears on the solution of the first and perhaps most important question submitted to the Court—how the ship came to get upon the rocks at all. The witness proceeded to tell the Court that the sails had been clewed and furled before the course was changed and the speed of the engines slackened. Two men had been on the lookout before the course was changed, and no more than two men were placed there afterward. It appears to have been a custom to keep two men, and no more, continually on the lookout. At this time he and the Captain were talking upon the bridge, the subject of the conversation being the position of the ship and the desirability of not running nearer to land. The Captain estimated that he was about twenty-five miles from the nearest land, the Bishop lighthouse, but the chief officer considered they were heading seven miles to the south of it. He and the Captain had, at noon on that day, made a calculation of the dead reckoning, and the result was they considered themselves in 49.50 N. latitude and 10.23 W. longitude. Notwithstanding this impression of their position, the lead was not cast, and the witness added that it had not been cast for three days previously. No lights were to be seen; indeed, he admits that at the time the ship's course was changed they could only just see the stem of the ship from the bridge. The men had no special orders except the ordinary order, that they are to be well on the lookout in case of fog.

Here we have the confession that a ship carrying nearly four hundred souls was approaching the most dangerous coast in the world, sailing, as it were, in utter darkness, her commander not being able to locate her position within twenty-five miles, and there being a difference of thirty-two miles between the Captain's estimate and the first officer's estimate of the distance to a lighthouse, which, in point of fact, the ship had already passed. No babe in the woods was ever more completely lost than were these navigators as they steered straight for the rocks. Instead of acting like men who had lost their way, and using every appliance to find out whether they were in dangerous waters or still out at sea, they changed the course of the ship at random, and in thirty minutes run her on to the ledge which the Captain supposed to be not less than twenty-five miles distant.

First Officer Hillers was close questioned as to why no soundings were taken when there was doubt as to the position of the vessel, but he could give no satisfactory answer; all that he could say was that the captain did not like to hear suggestions from his subordinate officers. The first article in the code of instructions used by the Eagle Steamship Company, which expressly enjoins the taking of soundings in foggy weather, was read to the witness, but he said that these instructions were for the captain, and not for the other officers. The cross-examination developed the fact that the course of the vessel had been changed, without any well-defined idea on the part of the captain as to where she was going or what effect the turning of the helm would have. He did not know that the current set across the Channel, and that when he allowed three degrees for the current carrying the vessel in a particular direction, the current was actually taking her in a precisely opposite direction, and the allowance which he made only hastened the catastrophe.

Another matter inquired into was the launching of the boats after the Schiller struck the ledge. There were enough boats to carry every person on board, but only one was successfully launched. General Sherman in his "Memoirs," gives an account of the wreck of a ship on which he was a passenger, on a ledge that makes from Baulina's Bay, not far from San Francisco. The disaster was similar in almost every incident to that which overtook the Schiller. A dense fog prevailed on the California coast, and the Captain was running by dead reckoning. The stock of coal had been exhausted, and the fireman had tossed sundry inflammable materials into the furnace, which greatly accelerated the speed, a fact which the Captain did not note in his calculations. The result was that he ran past San Francisco Bay without knowing it, and struck on a ledge eighteen miles to the north. If there had been a rush for the boats and a reckless cutting of the ropes by frantic men, as was the case when the Schiller struck, all on board would have been lost; but the Captain was a man of nerve; he quieted the passengers, controlled his crew, launched the boats, sent off the women and the "worst scared of the men" first, and by repeated trips across a mile of rough sea, saved every soul on board.

Officer Hillers tells a very different story as to the manner in which the Schiller's boats were dropped into the sea. There were eight boats all placed abaft the bridge, four on each side of the ship, and all swinging on davits. Six of the boats were constructed to hold from eighty to eighty-five men each, in fine weather, and the other two hold about forty each. They were all built as life-boats, even the smaller ones known as gigs. The first boat launched was that known as No. 5—the second from the stern on the starboard side. A great number of people entered, and a heavy sea, lifting her up, unhooked the lines of the after part, precipitating most of the occupants into the water. One of the sailors ultimately cut her adrift, and she floated away. The only boat successfully launched was one of the small gigs; the others were washed out of the davits. Each boat had an officer assigned to it. The officer to the boat which was successfully lowered was the boatswain, Jansen. The witness himself was assigned to boat No. 1, but that was washed away, and he was saved by a fishing boat in the morning. The second officer was picked up by the boat commanded by Jansen, and one of the boats, No. 8, was washed ashore the next morning with no one in it.

THE Cincinnati *Commercial* thinks "the spectacle of Allen and Cary on a rag and whisky platform surpasses in the grotesque anything heretofore seen in Ohio." It solemnly adds: "The victorious career of the Democratic party, continued for more than a year, and which until yesterday warranted anticipation of the possession of all the high places in the nation as fast as the popular verdict could be pronounced, stops here."

THE WIFE OF MY YOUTH.

The yellow light of day is spent,
  And fading into gray;
And creeping shadows, silently,
  Lengthen about my way.

A dampness gathers on the air,
  And through my frame it sends
A chill that's coldest at my heart—
  I know what it portends.

I know what lieth just beyond;
  My failing eye discerns
The dim, mysterious vale, from which
  No traveler returns.

I do not shrink, I do not fear;
  I know that this must be;
The evening and the silent night
  Bring welcome rest to me.

Yet 'twas not thus, alone, I thought
  The hillside to descend;
But hand in hand to journey down
  With a devoted friend.

I hoped her presence would beguile
  The sadness of the way,
And make as pleasant as the morn
  The evening shadows gray.

But hers is not the voice I hear,
  Is not the face I see,
When she that bears my name draws near
  To talk or walk with me.

Ah, me! 'tis not her love I need,
  'Tis not for her I sigh,
As, wearily and drearily,
  I journey down to die.

Oh, Thou that from the hill's high top
  Didst in my sight ascend,
Leaving me desolate! return,
  And cheer my journey's end.

My life's best love, my heart's desire!
  All other loves grow cold,
As round my head and round my heart
  The mists and shadows fold.

To thee, to thee I turn again,
  With all my early truth;
Yearns not thy soul to answer thine,
  Wife of my happy youth?

I miss thee more and more, as down,
  With feeble steps and slow,
An old, a sad, a weary man,
  Unto my grave I go.

AUGUSTA MOORE, *in N. Y. Eve. Post.*

THE RECENT STRIKE.

One of the Leaders Regards the Situation with Melancholy.

[From the Pottsville Journal, June 21st.]

To the M. & L. B. A. of Schuylkill county—BROTHERS: What I have feared ever since the Hyde Park men in April refused to come out and share with us the burdens of the suspension is upon us at last. We are beaten—forced by the unrelenting necessities of our wives and little ones to accept terms which, as we have already told the Coal Exchange and the public, we could never under any other circumstances have been forced to accept. It is not part of brave men, however, to be cast down, no matter how unfortunate may appear the situation of the present or how gloomy the prospects of the future. I hope, therefore, that you will be of good cheer, that you will deliberate carefully as to what shall next be done, that you do nothing in haste which you may have cause to repent at leisure. I will not at this time urge upon you the advisability of sticking to the good ship Union. My traducers and yours deride the Union and will caution you against it, or at least against its so-called "leaders," and it is better, therefore that you should decide upon the course to be pursued in the future without being duly influenced by solicitations from me. All I ask you is that you comport yourselves as becoming true men, who, though in battle over-matched, have no reason to be ashamed of the cause which under the pressure of an infamous conspiracy, aided by an unprecedented array of adverse circumstances, is for the nonce under a cloud. I shall call a meeting of the Executive Board, when I hope all the districts will be as usual represented, and by delegates prepared to speak freely and fearlessly the will of their constituencies.

Fraternally, JOHN F. WELSH.

Growing Parsley in Beds of Manure.

In many places parsley is difficult to cultivate. In some situations the seeds will not germinate, and in others the young seedlings wither and die immediately after they come above ground. This used to be the way in which it behaved in the kitchen garden at Drumlanrig, and for years parsley there was scarce. Mr. Thomson has, however, entirely overcome the difficulty. After trying it in various ways and positions, he now grows it in beds made up wholly of rotten leaves and strong manure. Thus circumstanced it grows to perfection, and I lately saw there a large plantation of it in excellent condition. The roots ramify freely in the manure and the plants become so strong and vigorous as to defy all attacks of insects which formerly proved so destructive to it. The manure, too, does not soon become exhausted or need renewing; but if it did, the fine crops obtained from it would soon repay all trouble bestowed in that direction.

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WINDOW GLASS,
Of all sizes, cut to order.
VIALS, BOTTLES AND DEMIJOHNS.
FRUIT JARS,
Of old and Reliable Patterns.
Prices to suit times. Quality and style equal to any made in the country. asp:p57

1875.
CARPETS.
Elegant Assortment,
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The Chorus Choir,
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A new book of sterling merit, for the use of Musical Societies and "Chorus Choirs," which are now becoming quite common. 200 pages, and about 100 pieces. Price $2. Per doz, $18.

Loreley. An Unfinished Opera by Mendelssohn. 60 cents. Per doz, $5.40. A beautiful fragment, which, however, is complete in itself.

How shall I Teach? or Hints to Teachers. A pamphlet by Dr. Lowell Mason, with a concise description of his mode of instruction. Much sought for. 38 cents.

First Walpurgis Night. Mendelssohn. Cloth $1.25. Boards $1. Paper 80 cents. For Musical Societies.

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The Zither is an instrument like a guitar, but much more powerful, and well worth learning. Sold by all music dealers. Sent, post-free, for retail price.

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Wednesday, June 23
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NOS. 165, 167 AND 169
FEDERAL ST., ALLEGHENY.

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DRESS GOODS!
AT ABOUT ONE-HALF
Early Season's Prices.

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And enables us to secure for our customers the many bargains offered in Dress Goods in the Eastern markets as the season draws to a close. We are now offering

NEW SUMMER DRESS GOODS
Just bought, in many cases at one-half the prices they were a few weeks since.

At 12 1-2 Cents,
NEW SUMMER DRESS GOODS
That have been selling at 25 cents.

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That have been selling at 37½c and 50c.

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ROCKY POINT HOTEL,
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Will open for the reception of guests July 1st. Eight Steamboats daily from Providence and Newport. Address,
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This pleasant and popular Summer Resort, at Renovo, Pennsylvania, on the line of the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad, is now open for the accommodation of visitors. The situation of the Hotel, immediately on the Susquehanna river, in the midst of splendid mountain scenery and contiguous to celebrated gunning and trout-fishing regions, renders it unusually attractive, while the accommodations provided are of the very best kind. Excursion tickets to Renovo are sold at all the principal offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. For rooms and rates, address
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CONGRESS HALL,
CAPE MAY, NEW JERSEY,
Will Open for Guests June 10.
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A magnificent Beach Drive of over 2½ miles in length has been constructed.
TERMS, $4.50 PER DAY.
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Ladies' Pongee and Poplin Suits.
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Children and Infants'
Suits and Dresses.
LADIES'
SUITS, DRESSES, &C.,
Made to order at short notice.

New Lace Sacques, Capes, &c.
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Monday, June 21, 1875,
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NEW SUMMER DRESS GOODS,
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One case choice Striped Black Grenadines at 25 cents—well worth 37½.
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Choice Patterns for Overskirts and Jackets, Goods that sold early in the season at $1.50 per yard; also Trimmings to match.
All the new shades of PLAIN LINEN SUITINGS, from 25 cents per yard up.
One case 27-INCH PLAIN COTTON BATTISTE, at 10 cents per yard. Buffs, Browns and Linen colors.
50 pieces NEW INVISIBLE PLAIDS at 25 cents, opened to-day. A great bargain—positively worth 50 cents.
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Immense Assortment of SEASONABLE WHITE GOODS, Much less than value.
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, June 23, 1875.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR the grading, paving and curbing of KERR STREET, from Refuge street to Grace street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office, until SATURDAY, July 3d, 1875, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.
q80 CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COUNCILS, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, June 14, 1875.

Opening of Kerr Street.

Notice is hereby given that the Report of Viewers on the opening of

KERR STREET

Was confirmed by Councils, June 10, 1875. Objections to the report must be filed within ten days. The Report can be seen in this office.
ROLAND T. WHITE,
q48 Clerk of Select Council.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, June 1, 1875.

Allegheny Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessors have now placed in the Treasurer's Office, the Duplicates of City, Poor, City Business, School, School Building, Sewer and Public Park Taxes, and of Water Rents for the year 1875, of the several wards, and that said Taxes will now be received in pursuance of the Acts of Assembly of February 27, 1862, and of April 14, 1863, subject to the following regulations and allowances:

Five per cent. if paid on or before the first day of July.

Four per cent. if paid on or before the first day of August.

Two per cent. if paid on or before the first day of September.

If paid after the first day of September, and on or before the first day of October, no deduction will be made.

If paid after the first day of October, and on or before the first day of November, an addition of five per cent. shall be added and payable on the same.

After the First of November,

Warrants will be issued to enforce the collection of all taxes remaining unpaid, together with the percentage accrued thereon, and the costs.
D. MACFERRON,
CITY TREASURER.

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Fast Colored Calicos,
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Goods for Men and Boys' Wear
BARGAINS IN
Cloths, Cassimeres, Jeans, &c.
Cotton and Linen Pant Goods.

PROPOSALS.

Construction of Life-Saving and Life-Boat Stations.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this Department until 12 o'clock, noon, of TUESDAY, the 29th day of June, 1875, for the construction of LIFE-SAVING AND LIFE-BOAT STATIONS at the following named places, to wit.: On the coast of Lake Michigan—one at Grand Pointe au Sauble and one at Pointe aux bec Scies. On the coast of Lake Huron—one at Pointe aux Barques, one at Ottawa Point, one at Sturgeon Point, one at Thunder Bay Island, and one at Forty Mile Point. On the coast of Lake Ontario—one at Salmon Creek, seven miles from Nine Mile Point, and one at Big Sandy Creek.

Bids will be received for one, several or all of the above mentioned houses, and bidders must state in their proposals the number they will build.

Bidders must state the time in which they will contract to complete the houses, and the bids must be accompanied with satisfactory guarantees as to the ability of the bidders to do the required work.

All proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for the Construction of Life-Saving and Life-Boat Stations," and addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.

Specifications and plans can be obtained at the offices of the Collectors of Customs at Oswego and Buffalo, N. Y.; Detroit, Port Huron and Grand Haven, Mich.; Chicago, Ill., and Cleveland, Ohio; also upon application to this Department.

The right to reject any or all bids, or to waive defects, if it is deemed for the interests of the Government to do so, is reserved.

(Signed.) CHARLES F. CONANT, Acting Secretary.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28, 1875.

NOTICE.

PROPOSALS FOR SIDEWALKS

Proposals will be received at the office of City Controller, until 12 o'clock M., TUESDAY, June 29, 1875, for

Paving the Sidewalks of Bedford Avenue from Erin St. to Thirty-third St.

Proposals will be received for paving with brick, flag stones or concrete.

All necessary information can be obtained on application to the Engineer at City Controller's office.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

C. H. LOVE,
H. OLIVER, JR.,
WM. KANE,
SAMUEL MEARS,
R. PARKER,
q61 Commissioners.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, June 22, 1875.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED Proposals will be received at this office until FRIDAY, the 2nd day of July, 1875, at 3 P. M., for the following work:

SEWERS.

18 inch pipe on Redoubt alley from First avenue to Second avenue.

18 inch pipe on Washington street, from north side of Wylie avenue to Webster avenue.

WOODEN STEPS.

From head of Eighth street to Brownsville avenue. Plans and specifications can be seen and blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received after 3 P. M.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids, should they deem it necessary for the interest of property owners or the city.
A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.

PROFESSIONAL.

DR. VANDEVORT,
DENTIST,
140 SMITHFIELD STREET.
ap27:q55

JOHN FITZSIMMONS,
ALDERMAN,
Ex-Officio Justice of the Peace and Police Magistrate,
Office—No. 95 CARSON STREET,
PITTSBURGH, (S. S.)

DANIEL WENKE,
Notary Public.
OFFICE:
1119 CARSON ST., South Pittsburgh.
mh22-o68

SAMUEL M'MASTERS,
Alderman,
EX-OFFICIO JUSTICE OF THE PEACE AND POLICE MAGISTRATE.
OFFICE, NO. 100 GRANT STREET, OPPOSITE THE CATHEDRAL.

J. OL'R. FLOWER,
DENTIST,
Removed to 140 Penn Avenue,
Below Fifth street,
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Corner of Liberty and Ninth streets.

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New French Flowers.
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SUMMER UNDERWEAR
GLOVES, SOCKS, &c.
New Silk Neckwear.
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NEW STOCK OF
Silk Sun Umbrellas & Parasols
All Sizes and Qualities.

EVERYTHING NEW
AND DESIRABLE FOR
SUMMER WEAR!
Opening Every Day.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.—THE copartnership heretofore existing between GEORGE SCHELLHASE and HENRY A. C. HARTMAN under the firm name of SCHELLHASE & HARTMAN, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent of the parties. The business of the late firm will be settled up by George Schellhase, who will continue the business at the old stand, No. 211 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh.
GEORGE SCHELLHASE,
H. A. C. HARTMAN.
Pittsburgh, June 21, 1875. q74

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership lately existing between the undersigned under the firm name of LINDSAY, MURRAY & CO., FOUNDERS and MACHINISTS, has been dissolved. The business of the late firm will be settled by Mr. E. J. BIGGS, at No. 159 Smithfield street.
MORRIS LINDSAY,
WM. REAMS,
LEOPOLD BENNETT,
E. J. BIGGS.
Pittsburgh, June 11, 1875. q60

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of EWENS & ORR, was by mutual consent dissolved on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1875. The business of the firm will be carried on hereafter by TOM T. EWENS, who is authorised to collect all moneys due the firm and to pay all debts against it.
TOM T. EWENS,
q35 SAMUEL ORR.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

The undersigned, Assignee in Bankruptcy of George H. Anderson, will offer at Public Auction, at the Custom House, in the City of Pittsburgh, Pa., on TUESDAY, JULY 13th, 1875, at 2 O'CLOCK, P. M., all the right, title and interest, subject to liens, of said George H. Anderson, before and at the time of said proceedings in bankruptcy, in the following coal lands and coal right, viz:

The undivided third, in fee simple, of a tract of land situate in Monongahela county, West Virginia, abutting on the Monongahela River, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a sugar tree on the bank of said river, thence along the same north 73½ degrees east, 52.48 perches; north 68 degrees east, 52.00 perches; north 60 degrees east, 24.46 perches; north 49¼ degrees east, 19.76 perches; north 31½ degrees east, 27.72 perches; north 13½ degrees east, 27.44 perches; north 45 degrees east, 14.80 perches; thence, leaving said river, south 81¼ degrees east, 78.68 perches; north 18½ degrees east, 12.75 perches; south 84 degrees 25 minutes east, 275.50 perches; thence south 21 degrees 47 minutes west, 15.84 perches; south 56 minutes 54 seconds east, 131.12 perches; south 21½ degrees west, 4.44 perches; south 2 degrees west, 15.80 perches; south 38 degrees 06 minutes west, 31.52 perches; south 18 degrees 51 minutes west, 138,000 perches; south 86 degrees 48 minutes west, 72.00 perches; south 78 minutes 54 seconds west, 40.76 perches; south 87 minutes 40 seconds west, 27.38 perches; south 87 degrees west, 33.00 perches; south 85½ degrees west, 86.68 perches; thence north 6 minutes 57 seconds east, 73.60 perches; north 68 minutes west, 47.00 perches; thence north 68 degrees east, 77.56 perches; north 69 minutes 18 seconds west, 85.82 perches; thence south 57 minutes 57 seconds west, 111.76 perches; thence 3 degrees east, 73.08 perches; thence south 87½ degrees east, 56.00 perches; thence south 50 degrees west, 73.00 perches; south 59 degrees west, 32.36 perches; thence north 65 degrees west, 57.38 perches; thence north 18 minutes 22 seconds east, 43.88 perches; north 1 minute 55 seconds south, 31.80 perches; thence north 79 minutes 40 seconds east, 21.64 perches; thence north ½ degree east, 13.20 perches; north 13¾ degrees west, 25.80 perches; north 35 minutes 50 seconds west, 18.40 perches; north 4 minutes 40 seconds west, 19.16 perches; north 12¼ degrees west, 10.96 perches; north 1¼ degrees west, 12.88 perches; north 50 degrees, west, 28.72 perches, to the place of beginning; containing 821 acres 151 perches.

Also, a tract of land just below the foregoing, abutting on said river, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a Lynn, on the bank of said river, thence north 1½ degrees east, 38 perches; thence leaving said river south 84½ deg. east, 9 perches; south 62½ deg. east 40 perches; south 71½ deg. west, 48 perches, to the place of beginning; containing 5½ acres.

Also, the coal right in the following described land, adjoining the land first described: Beginning at a White Oak, in the south line of land first described, thence 21 degrees 47 minutes east, 80.84 perches; north 22 deg. 07 min. west, 130.72 perches; south 14 deg. 50 min west, 3.12 perches; south 13 deg. west, 12.00; south 57½ deg. west, 8.60; south 33½ deg. west, 11.08; south 36 deg. west, 5.00; south 38½ deg. west, 3.72; south 33 deg. west, 7.08; south 35 deg. west, 5.28; south 47 deg. west, 8.20; south 81¼ deg. west, 9.36; thence north 20 deg. west, 7.24; north 10½ deg. east, 6.08; north 0¾ deg. east, 8.24; north 4½ east, 12.92; north 1 deg. east, 8.84; north 4½ deg. west; 3.76; north 20 deg. west, 5.28; north 20½ deg. west, 7.28; north 29½ deg. west, 17.68; north 34½ deg. west, 8.56; north 39 deg. west, 9.72; north 30½ deg. west, 11.00; north 4 deg. west, 3.80; north 37 deg. west, 16.92; north 46 deg. east, 6.20; north 22½ deg. east, 2.48; north 8 deg. east, 12.52; north 4¼ deg. east, 11.24; north 4½ deg. east, 11.60; north 16½ deg. east, 11.76; north 14¾ deg. east, 7.76; north 82 deg. 07 min. west, 4.16; north 82 deg. 40 min. west, 69.76; thence south 24 deg. 50 min. west 76.20, south 64½ deg. east 45.30; south 2½ deg. west, 20.24; south 10½ deg. east 9.00; south 9 deg. west, 4.62; south 6 deg. west 8.00; south 3¾ deg. west, 5.92; south 5¼ deg. east 5.60; south 34½ deg. east, 9.44; south 13½ deg. west 12.68; south 15½ deg. west, 4.56; south 33½ deg. west 6.36; south 30½ deg. east, 13.20; south 29½ deg. west 6.20; south 33½ deg. west, 6.39; south 36½ deg. west, 9.28; south 16½ deg. west 9.28; south 14½ deg. west, 11.16; south 11 deg. west, 7.08; south 42½ deg. west 5.26; south 46 deg. west, 4.84; south 60 deg. west, 5.32; south 73½ deg. west, 7.32; south 39½ deg. west 4.40; south 37 deg. west 4.00; north 78½ deg. west 8.24; north 28 deg. west 5.92; north 35 deg. west, 6.56; north 42½ deg. west 5.24; north 52½ deg. west 3.56; thence south 50 deg. west, 8.24; south 31½ deg. west, 8.20; south 9½ deg. west, 5.16; south 3½ deg. west 5.32; south 1½ deg. east, 5.56; south 6 deg. east, 3.40; south 2¼ deg. east 5.60; south 13 deg. west 3.68; south 25½ deg. west 4.20; south 61½ deg. west 4.84; thence north 88 deg. west 14.28; south 78 deg. west 4.16; south 75½ deg. west, 16.16; north 27 deg. east, 12.03; north 80 deg. west 9.50; north v4½ deg. west 12.84; south 12½ deg. west 44.88; thence by the line of the tract just described south 84 deg. 35 min. east, 268.88 perches, to the place of beginning, containing 263 acres, 44 perches.

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DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
THURSDAY, June 24, 1875. }

A quiet and not remarkable day yesterday, was experienced at the banks. There was but a moderate volume of business transacted, and this was such as formed chiefly counter business. It is not probable that this situation will be changed till July 1. A good many conservative bankers and capitalists in this city and elsewhere, who are acknowledged advocates of specie resumption some time and by some means, are beginning to admit that a rise of twenty or thirty per cent. in the price of gold would be the best thing that could happen now—we know of prominent instances where there has evidently been a change of opinion on this point in the last month or two; they acknowledge that there is a necessity by some means of escape for debtors from having to pay debts that have increased in value (by the decline of gold) by the sacrifice of property and commodities at the present low prices, and the prospective lower ones, if the present depression of trade and industry continues. A rise of twenty-five or thirty per cent. in the price of gold would be a reduction in the value of debts, which would enable the debtors to pay them without becoming bankrupt, whereas, in the present tendency of affairs, thousands of men who a year ago were considered out of danger are steadily becoming more and more involved. In spite of the continued reports of the various commercial agencies, that "the volume of outstanding mercantile indebtedness is steadily being reduced," it is apparent that more and more mercantile men are losing their capital and approaching the verge of bankruptcy. The expense of doing business and the shrinkage in the value of goods and commodities in the stagnation of trade will eat up the merchant's or manufacturer's capital even if he owes no debts at all.

Robinson Brothers, Bankers, No. 78 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

Gold	117⅛	5-20's 1867	125⅛
U.S.6's, 1881, coup	126	" 1868—coupons	124⅛
5-20's 1862	118	10-40's	117⅛
" 1864	118⅜	Currency 6's	122⅛
" 1865	122⅛	New 5 per cents	117⅛
" 1865 new	123⅛	10-40's—coupons	119⅛

RAILWAYS.

N. Y. Cen.	103	Ohio & Mississippi	23⅛
Erie	13⅝	Union Pacific	73⅛
I. C.	101⅛	Toledo & Wabash	7
C. C. & I. C.	4⅛	Harlem	130
St. Paul	33	Adams Express	99⅛
Do. Pref.	54⅛	American Express	56
Michigan Southern	61⅛	U. S. Express	45
Do. Central	66	W., Fargo & Co. Ex	78
North Western Com	38⅛	Quicksilver	15
Do. Pref.	49⅛	Fort Wayne	99
Rock Island	103	Hannibal & St. Jos	23
Cleve. & Pitts	99⅛	Panama	129
Pacific Mail	39⅛	Iron Mountain	—
Western Union Tel.	—		

Robinson Brothers furnish the following quotations of active stocks on the Philadelphia Stock Board:

P. R. R (S)	50	Cen. Trans	—
Reading (S)	55⅛	Empire Do	—
U. Cos. of N. J. (S)	129	A. V. R. R. 7-30(S)	96⅛
Oil Creek (R)	9⅛	P. C. & St. L. 7's (S)	77⅛
Lehigh Valley (S)	61⅛		

NEW YORK, June 23, 1875.

Money was easy at 2a3, closing at the lower figure; prime mercantile paper 3½a5. Sterling was steady for sixty days at 486½a486¾, and strong for sight at 489¾a490. The customs receipts were $132,000. Gold opened at 117⅛, and closed at 117⅛. The borrowing and carrying rates were 1a2. Loans were also made flat. The Assistant Treasurer disbursed $40,000. The clearings were $32,000,000. Government and railroad bonds are firm. State bonds are quiet and strong.

The stock market was strong and higher, the advance ranging from ⅛ to 2⅞ per cent. Pacific mail was the leading feature, opening at 37, declining to 36⅜, and later rising to 39⅛. The transactions in the stock were large and attended with considerable animation. Lake Shore rose from 60⅛ to 61⅞, Western Union from 72⅛ to 73⅛, St. Paul from 32⅛ to 33, Northwest from 37⅛ to 37⅞, and Union Pacific from 73⅛ to 74. At the second call the market was strong at the highest point.

The Pacific Mail Steamship directors this morning authorized their London agent to sign a contract with the Colonial Government of Australia for mail service between San Francisco and Australia. The Pacific Mail Company will receive about £91,000 sterling per annum for the service, a large portion of which will be net profit to the company. The strength in Pacific Mail was due to the above statement and the publication of the fact that the earnings of the company under the new management have largely increased, showing a gain of 39 per cent. for 1874.

Stocks were strong and higher in closing dealings, with a buoyant feeling in some shares. Pacific Mail led the market both in point of activity and buoyancy, rising to 39⅜. The stock was scarce for delivery to-day, and as high as 1-32 was paid for the use of it. Lake Shore was very strong and closed at 62, the highest point of the day. New York Central advanced to 103, an improvement of 1 per cent. over the opening price. Union Pacific rose to 74, and closed at a slight reaction. Western Union advanced to 74, St. Paul to 33, Northwest to 38⅛, and Erie to 13⅞. Rock Island sold at 103, against 102⅛ at the close yesterday. C. C. & I. C. advanced from 4 to 4⅞. Investment shares were strong.

The transactions on the Stock Exchange aggregated 231,000 shares, of which 99,000 were Western Union, 7,000 Northwest, 5,500 Erie, and 69,000 Lake Shore.

Governments.—U. S. Coupons of '81, 126; 5-20s of '62, 118; do of '64, 118⅛; do of '65, 122⅛; do of '65, new, 123⅛; do of '67, 125⅛; do of '68, 124⅛; 10-40s, 119⅛; new 5s, 118⅛; currency 6s, 122⅛.

State Bonds.—Missouri 6s, 103; Tennessee old, 47; do new, 46⅛; Virginia new, 37⅛; do old, 38; North Carolina old, 20; do new, 11.

Stocks.—Canton, 62⅛; Western Union Telegraph Company, 73⅛; Quicksilver, 16⅛; Adams Express, 99⅛; Wells & Fargo, 78; American Express, 56; United States Express, 45; Pacific Mail, 39⅛; New York Central, 102⅛; Erie, 13⅞; Erie, preferred, 19⅛; Harlem, 130; Harlem preferred, 132; Michigan Central, 66⅛; Pittsburgh, 90⅛; North Western, common, 38⅛; preferred, 49⅛; Rock Island, 102⅛; New Jersey Central, 110; St Paul, 33; St. Paul, preferred, 54⅛; Toledo & Wabash, 7; do preferred, 15; Fort Wayne, ex-div., 97⅛; Terre Haute, 4; Terre Haute, preferred, 19; Chicago & Alton, 102; Chicago & Alton, preferred, 107; Ohio & Mississippi, 23⅛; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 49; Burlington & Quincy, 113; Lake Shore, 61⅛; C. C. & I. C., 4⅞; Illinois Central, 101⅞; Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, 23; Union Pacific, 73⅛; Central Pacific, 106⅛; Union, 105⅛; Delaware & Lackawanna, 119⅛.

LONDON, June 23—5 P. M.—Consols: Money, 93⅜; account, 93 7-16; 5-20s, '65, 106⅛; do '67, 106⅛; 10-40s, 104⅛; new 5s, 103⅛; New York Central, 93; Erie, 11⅞; do preferred, 22.

PARIS, June 23.—Rentes 64f 32½c.

FRANKFORT, June 23.—5-20s '62, 98⅛.

Exports From The Seaboard.

The following were the exports from the three leading cities of the Atlantic seaboard for the dates named:

	*Week ending June 19, 1875.	†Week ending June 12, 1875.	*Week ending June 20, 1874.
Flour, bbls	38,180	45,952	77,263
Wheat, bu	1,226,000	2,324,259	1,970,014
Corn, bu	136,390	197,687	1,656,000
Rye, bu		8,209	19,486
Pork, bbls	3,733	2,604	5,119
Lard, lbs	2,477,755	1,784,971	3,482,253
Bacon, lbs	2,024,556	2,622,400	6,589,604

*From seven points. †From four points.

Receipts of Pig Metal, Ore Blooms, and Muck Bar.

PENNA R. R.

Dilworth P & Co m	6	Nimick & Co m	1
Total			7

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Nimick & Co b	11	Nimick & Co m	5
Byers McC & Co m	4		
Total			20

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Jones & L o	3	Reese G & W o	1
W Clark & Co p	1	Maloney & L s iron	1
Shoenberger & Co o	2		
Total			8

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. LESSEE.

Nimick & Co m bar	10	Laughlin & Co o	5
Brown & Co o	1	Carnegie Bros m bar	1
Byers McC & Co m	1		
Total			18

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

DAILY REPORT OF PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
WEDNESDAY, June 23, 1875. }

The leading merchandise markets continue very dull, with but little prospect at this writing of an early improvement; our merchants and manufacturers as well complain that in addition to business being dull that it is unsatisfactory, that in consequence of a steady shrinkage in values, there has been little or no margin for profit recently.

APPLES—Sales of green at $3@5 ₱ bbl, as to quality and condition.

APPLE BUTTER—50@55c ₱ gallon.

BEANS—The market is reported quiet but steady at $1,85@1,90 for mediums, and $1,95@2,00 for navies.

BUTTER—We have to report a continued dull market, as the supply is considerably in excess of the demand, and but for the fact that there has been considerable shipped to New York on consignment within the past week, the market would be worse than it is. Prime to choice solid packed, 15 to 18c; do. roll, 18 to 20c. Commission men all report a large falling off in the demand, which is owing to the fact that storekeepers are now being supplied by peddlers.

CHEESE—The market, as noted in our last report, has stiffened up very considerably, and while as yet there has been no quotable advance, the demand has improved, and the feeling is gaining ground that the lowest notch has at last been reached. Prime Ohio Factory, 10½@11c in a jobbing way.

DRIED FRUIT—Quiet and unchanged; Apples, 7½@8½. Peaches, (halves) 10½@11.

EGGS—The general tone of the market is weaker, and while 19@20 were generally regarded as the ruling quotations, some dealers quoted down to 18c. The supply is not large, but the consumption appears to be falling off.

FLOUR—Dull but unchanged. Spring wheat flours, $5,75@6@6,25, the outside figure for choice Minnesota (baker) flour; winter, $6,25@6,50 for red and $6,75@7 for amber and white. Rye flour, $6@6,25.

GROCERIES—The grocery trade continues quiet, and devoid of any new or important features to which reference has not previously been made in these columns. The demand for everything in this line continues light, while as regards prices there have been no recent changes.

SUGARS.

Crushed	12	Standard B	10½
Granulated	11⅜	Ex C Standard	10⅜
Powdered	11⅜	Demarara	9½@10⅛
Standard A	10⅜	Porto Rico	8⅛@ 9⅛
N. O. Sugar	8½@ 9⅛	Refined Yellows	8⅛@9⅛

COFFEES.

Rio Good	20 @21	Roasted loose	26⅛
Rio Prime	22 @23	R. Java, lbpkgs	40
Rio Fancy	24 @25	R. Java loose	39⅛
R. Rio, lb pkgs	27		

RICE.

Rangoon ₱ lb	7⅛@8	Patna ₱ lb	7⅛@8
Carolina ₱ lb	8⅛@9		

MOLASSES.

Porto Rico	50@55	New Orleans	75@80
Demarara	50@55		

GRAIN—The grain markets continue dull, but it is hoped that there will soon be an improvement in the demand; as the sales have been very meagre recently, it is evident that the stocks in the hands of retailers and consumers must be light. Wheat continues quiet and nominally unchanged; Penna and Ohio red, $1,25 to $1,30; do. amber and white, 3 to 5 cents additional. The Oat market is weak, under the influence of the advices from Chicago, but prices remain about as last quoted; mixed, 66 to 67; white, 68 to 69. Corn is dull, and those who have it in the elevator are anxious to realize, being apprehensive of it heating. Ear quotable, on track, at 73 to 75, and shelled, free in elevator, at 76 to 78, according to quality. Rye is quiet and unchanged.

HAY—Baled is quoted at $20 to $23 per ton on track, for common to prime timothy.

POTATOES—Selling, in a jobbing way, from store, at $1 to $1,10 ₱ bushel, the outside figure for Peach Blows.

PROVISIONS—There is a very fair demand, and a better feeling is manifested in consequence of the improved character of the advices from the west. We quote:—

Hams—Extra S. C. ₱ lb	13½	Lard-Prime Leaf in tierces, ₱ lb	14
Shoulders, Ex S. C.	10⅜	Do., half barrels	14⅛
B'fast Bacon, S. C.	14	Lard-Ref. for summer use in tierces	14⅛
Dried Beef, Ex. Sugar Cured, old	15½	Do., in ½ bbls	15
Beef Tongues Sugar Cured, ₱ doz	$6.50	Do., in bk'ts	15⅛
		Do., 3 lb caddies	17⅛
Bacon Shoulders	9⅜	Do., 5 lb do	17⅛
Clear Rib Sides	13	Do., 3 lb pails	18
Clear Sides	13½	Do., 5 lb do	17⅛
Mess Pork, ₱ bbl.	$21,00	Do., 10 lb do	17⅛
Miner's Lard Oil		Carbon Oil	11⅛
Lard Oil	1,12	Cheese	12
Family Pork, 24 pieces in bbl. 200 lbs			$20.50
Short Mess Pork, 43 pieces in bbl. 200 lbs			20.00

POULTRY—Spring Chickens, 65@75c ₱ pair, as to condition and size.

RAGS—Quiet and unchanged; regular sales at 2⅛@3 cts for good mixed, woolen ½c ₱ lb.

TALLOW—Easier; 8c for country, and 8½@8⅞c for prime city rendered.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
WEDNESDAY, June 23, 1875. }
PITTSBURGH CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.

ARRIVALS.

Following were the arrivals of live stock at these yards from Sunday up until noon to-day, and to afford a comparison, we append those of the corresponding time last week also:

	Cattle. Through.	Local.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Sunday	109 cars.	45 cars.	84 cars.	20 cars.
Monday	30 "	36 "	25 "	5 "
Tuesday	19 "	43 "	6 "	42 "
Wednesday	31 "	59 "	10 "	27 "
Total	189 "	183 "	125 "	94 "
Same time last week	130 "	123 "	91 "	72 "

Briggs, Dock & Drum, Wholesale Dealers and Commission Merchants for the sale of Live Stock, at the Central Stock Yards, East Liberty, report as follows:

CATTLE.

The arrivals, as will be seen, continue to increase, especially of local stock, 183 cars from and including Sunday up until noon to-day, against 123 cars same time last week, and 75 cars preceding that again, or an increase of over one hundred per cent. within two weeks; the great proportion of the increase has been of grass cattle from Ohio and other adjoining States, and the consequence is that while stock of this character has declined from ¼@ ⅛c per lb since the reaction set in, the shrinkage on prime corn-fed cattle has not been more than a ¼@ ⅜c. This is accounted for by the fact that there has been a largely increased supply of the former, while the receipts of the latter have scarcely been as large as they were prior to the time in question. The run of through cattle also keeps up well, but the most of these have been of through Texans and Cherokees. This class of cattle has had a very damaging influence upon the market for common and medium natives, and caused a further decline for such, as compared with last week, of from 30 to 50 cents per cwt. Fortunately there was a very full attendance of country buyers, upon whom we are dependent mainly to take the common and medium grades; hence most of the offerings of this character have been disposed of, and as yet but few have been sent forward in first hands. Prime corn-fed cattle are also lower, 20 to 25 cents per cwt. as compared with the date of our last report. Sales up until noon to-day 1,649 head against 1,656 same time last week.

QUOTATIONS.

Prime 1,400@1,500 steers	6,75@7,00
Prime 1,200@1,300 steers	6,50@6,62
Good 1,050@1,150 steers	5,75@6,25
Through Texas and Cherokees	3,00@4,50
Rough cows, bulls, etc	3,50@4,50

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

The arrivals thus far have been heavy, 94 cars from and including Sunday up until noon to-day, against 72 cars the same time last week, and 41 cars the week preceding that again; with a heavy supply and scarcely an average demand, prices have declined from ¼ to ½ of a cent ₱ lb, and the market, all in all, is the worst sellers have experienced this season. At the present writing the pens are full, and the indications are that a large number will have to be shipped on in first hands, as the most of the buyers are supplied, and there appears to be no other recourse. Five cents was generally regarded as the top of the market for prime 100 lb averages, against 5⅛@5⅛ at the date of our last report.

QUOTATIONS.

Extra 95@100 lbs	4,75@5,00
Prime 85@90 lbs	4,25@4,50
Good 75@80 lbs	3,75@4,00
Common 70@80 lbs	3,00@3,25
Indianas, as per quality	3,00@4,50
Lambs, 50@60 lbs	5,00@6,50

HOGS.

The run was heavy on Sunday, but since then, as will be seen, it has been light, and this, taken in connection with a slight advance in Chicago, has imparted a little more tone to the market, although there has not been much change in prices. Furthermore, there has been a reaction in the product within the past week; Lard, Mess Pork and meats of all kinds are better, and this, of course, has not been without its effect in stimulating the market for hogs; however, the outlook at the present time does not warrant us in predicting any very decided advance, and if the market holds its own, we think the expectations of the trade generally will be fully realized. There appears to be a gradual shrinkage going on in values, and hogs are not likely to be an exception; or, in other words, it is not reasonable in the present condition of affairs to expect any marked improvement in prices. Yorkers may be quoted at 7⅛ to 7⅜; Philadelphia hogs, 7.50 to 7.60; no Baltimore hogs selling; Roughs, 5½ to 6c.

All drafts must be attached to the original shipping bill, and in no case drawn for more than two-thirds cost of stock. Please telegraph amount of Draft and Car Nos. We engage in no speculations. Commissions $10 per car.

J. B. Sedwick is our authorized agent at Indianapolis, Indiana.

ENSIGN NEWTON, after an absence of several weeks, has returned and is on active duty again.

BRIGGS, DOCK & DRUM.

TEXAS CATTLE.

Of the trade in Texas cattle at Chicago during the week ending with Friday last the *Live Stock Reporter* remarks: "The receipts of Texan and Cherokee cattle during the week plainly indicate that the summer season of 1875 has fairly and fully opened. The general quality of the through cattle thus far received has been better, and rarely, if ever, as good, owing to the comparatively mild winter and favorable spring experienced in Texas, and the forward condition of the pastures as compared with those in Northern States. With the increase in the supply during the past two or three weeks, there has been a corresponding increase also in the demand. There are now no prejudices to overcome; these have all been fairly met and disposed of. Texan or Cherokee cattle, as native, sell on their merits, just as native do, and often, we believe, yield better margins. Our trade hitherto, and especially that of the past week, shows clearly the course shippers must take if they wish to sustain the market and avoid losses. Where cattle have been in good flesh or fat, they have been in steady and good demand, and just in proportion as these conditions have not been complied with, sales have been slow and prices weak, irregular, and steadily declining."

Wheat Crop Prospects.

The wheat harvest is progressing under the most favorable auspices on the Pacific slope, and it is estimated that while some sections promise a lighter yield than last year, the increased area of the crop will probably balance this loss.

In some sections of the West and Northwest local damages have been sustained from destructive storms.

The European prospects continue favorable, with the exception of a portion of France, in which the crop has been so much injured as to cause an advance in the Paris market.

Cincinnati Horse Market.

There is at present only a moderate demand, and this for animals for home use. Sales in the Fifth street auctions for the past week footed up 340 head, against an equal number for the preceding week. There were no shipments. Fancy drivers are selling well. General prices remain: Plugs, $20@40; common work, $50@85; common drivers, $65@90; medium drivers, $90@120; street car, $85@119; Boston chunks, $85@150; good harness horses for home use, $120@150; extra harness horses, $150@200; heavy draft, $150, $200 and $300. In the mule market prices are as follows: Fourteen hands, $75 to $90; fifteen hands, $110 to $135; sixteen hands, $150 to $175.—*Commercial.*

Cotton.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Cotton firm at 15⅛@15⅛c; futures closed firm, with sales of 25,200 bales: June 15 1-16@15⅛c; July 15 3-32@15⅛c; December 14 11-16@14⅛c; January 14⅞@14 28-32c; February 15 1-16@15 3-32c; August 15⅛@15 9-32c; September 15⅛@15 5-32c; October 14 13-16@14 27-32c; November 14 11-16@14 23-32c.

NEW ORLEANS, June 23.—Cotton quiet but firm; sales of 725 bales; quotations unchanged; no exports; stock 49,446 bales; unsold last evening 27,100; on shipboard 22,000.

Wool.

BOSTON, June 23.—Wool is unchanged. The demand is steady, but moderate. The only grades of wool wanted in the interior are medium fleeces and combing and delaine fleeces, but manufacturers are not now so anxious to secure them as a few weeks ago. Supplies of all kinds are near at hand. Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces 50@58c; Michigan and Wisconsin fleeces 47@50c; unwashed combing and delaine, including new Kentucky, 43@47c; super and X pulled wools quiet at 35@57c.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
WEDNESDAY, June 23, 1875. }

Trade continues very much depressed, so far at least as Pittsburgh is concerned, but it is hoped that there will soon be a change for the better. Crude dull and drooping: immediate shipment quoted at $1,32½@1,35 ₱ bbl. The best bid for refined, deliverable on Connellsville cars, was 9⅛, against sales on Monday at 10⅛. It is intimated that the Combination may have something to do with depressing the market for the purpose of forcing outside refiners to come into it.

The Barrel trade continues very dull; countries, $1@1,15; city make, $1,30@1,32½.

THE FOREIGN OUTLOOK.

The following is from a late Rotterdam circular:

		Bbls.	
Deliveries from 22-28 May		1,303	
Stock in bonded stores this day, abt		5,846	59 C
Expected per the Advocate, daily	"	4,123	
Expected per Hercuil, loading	"	3,500	
Expected per Januotje, loading	"	4,000	
Total	"	17,469	59 C

Against in 1874 about 62,442 bbls, and 4,625 cases. Price of spot oil 15f.

Against in 1873 about 37,165 bbls, and .... cases. Spot oil 20⅛f.

Total stocks on hand, shipments afloat and loading:

	1875.	1874.
At Bremen, bbls 28th May	494,272	425,703
At " cases	2,695	1,068
At Antwerp, bbls 28th May	175,580	271,162
At " cases		
At Hamburg, bbls May 28	51,243	140,600
At " cases		6,500
At Rotterdam, bbls this day	47,469	62,442
At " cases	59	4,625
At Amsterdam, bbls this day	20,114	18,090
At " cases		3,190
Total, bbls	758,678	917,997
Total, cases	2,754	15,383
Against last week, bbls	729,398	
Against last week, cases	2,962	

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL PER ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls.
N. W. Stevenson	Central O W	949
N. W. Stevenson	Liberty O W	695
W. S. Craig	Star O W	469
O. J. Greer	Vesta O W	74
O. J. Greer	Sunbeam O W	234
Total		2,421

SHIPMENTS REFINED OIL EAST VIA ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls.
David Bly & Co	J. P. Logan	161
Lockhart & Frew	Warden F. & Co	104
Total		265

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 23, 1875.

FLOUR—Dull and nominal.

GRAIN—Wheat dull and declined; No 1 spring $1,01; No 2 97c spot; 96½@96⅜c seller July; 19c seller August; No 3 95c; rejected 86c. Corn dull; No 2 mixed 67⅛c spot; 68⅛c bid seller July; 68⅛c bid seller August; rejected 66c. Oats dull and lower; No 2 51⅛c; was sold at 50⅛c spot; 50c bid seller July; 39½c bid seller August; rejected 44c. Rye dull; No 1 90c. Barley dull and lower; No 2 $1,25 spot; 99c@$1 seller September.

SEEDS—Dull and unchanged.

PROVISIONS—Pork active and higher; $19,10 spot; $19,05 seller July; $19,50 seller August; $19,45 seller September. Lard steady and in moderate demand; $13 spot; $13,15@13,20 seller August; $13,37½ seller September. Bulk meats: demand good at full prices; shoulders 7⅝c; short rib middles 11⅛c; short clear 11⅛c.

WHISKY—Quiet at $1,16.

On call Board wheat was weak and lower; 97@97⅛c July; 98⅛@98⅜c August. Corn was dull and lower; 67⅞@67⅞c July; 69⅛@69⅛c August. Oats weak and lower; 49½c July; 38⅛@38⅛c August. Pork unchanged. Lard heavy.

New York.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Flour active; receipts 5,000; superfine western and State $4,50@4,80; common to good $5,20@5,25; good to choice $5,15@5,65; white wheat extra $5,80@6,30; St. Louis $5,35@8,60; extra Ohio $5,25@7. Rye flour steady at $4,25@5,50. Corn meal quiet at $3,85@4,20. Wheat unsettled; No 1 Milwaukee $1,20@1,22; No 1 Minnesota $1,22@1,23; No 2 Chicago $1,12⅛; No 2 Northwest $1,12⅛@1,13; No 2 Milwaukee $1,16@1,18; winter red western $1,35; amber $1,31@1 36. Rye quiet at 90c@$1. Barley nominal. Malt quiet and steady. Corn dull; mixed western on steamer 81⅛@82c; do sail 83@83½c. Oats unsettled; mixed western 62@65c; white 64@68c. Hay steady at 65@70c. Coffee steady at 16@18⅛c. Sugar very dull; fair to good refining 7⅛@8⅛c; prime 8⅛c. Molasses dull. Rice steady and in fair demand at 8⅛c. Petroleum steady; refined 12⅛c; crude 6⅛@6⅛c. Rosin quiet at $1,75. Turpentine quiet at 31⅛@32c. Pork firmer at $19,85@20. Beef dull. Cut Meats quiet. Pickled hams 12⅛c. Middles quiet; long clear western 11⅛c; city 11⅛c; short do 12c. Lard firmer; prime steam 13⅛c. Butter firm; western 15@24c. Cheese firm at 5@12⅛c. Whisky quiet at $1,20.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 23.—Seeds steady, with a light demand. Flour dull, with a decline of 12⅛c; superfine $3,75@4; extras $4,37⅛@4.75; Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota extra family $5,12⅛@6,15; Pennsylvania, Indiana and Ohio do $5,87⅛@6,00; high grades $6,50@7,50. Wheat quiet and in moderate supply; red $1,30@1,33; amber $1,34@1,35; white $1,42. Rye $1,05. Corn slow; yellow and mixed 80c. Oats unsettled; white 66@67c; mixed 64c. Provisions quiet. Mess pork $20,50@21. Hams smoked 14⅛@15c; pickled 11⅛@12c. Lard 13⅛@14⅛c. Whisky $1,20. Butter western from bound. Butter steady; New York extras 26@27c; do firsts 23@24c; western extras 22@23c; do firsts 18@21c; rolls extras 14@16c. Cheese firm; do western fine 10⅛@11c; prime 9⅛@10c. Eggs firm; western fresh 21c; good 19@20c.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, June 23.—Flour very quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and heavy; No 2 western red $1,29@1,30; No 2 Milwaukee spring $1,16; other grades unchanged. Corn: western quiet; western mixed 80c. Oats dull and unchanged. Rye dull and nominal. Hay easier; Pennsylvania and Maryland $18@27. Provisions quiet and firm. Pork nominally $19,50@20. Bulk meats: shoulders 8⅛@8⅛c; clear rib 11⅛c, loose. Bacon: shoulders 9⅛c; clear rib 12⅛c. Hams 14@14⅛c. Lard dull and heavy; refined 14⅛@15c. Butter dull; western extras 20@22c; firsts 18@20c. Petroleum nominal; crude 5⅞@6c; refined 12⅛@12⅞c. Coffee quiet, but firm; Rio cargoes 16@19⅛c; jobbing at 16⅛@19⅛c. Whisky firm at $1,19@1,20.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, June 23.—Flour in demand for Cuba; low treble $5,50; choice $7@7,25. Corn dull at 80c. Oats dull at 70c. Bran dull at 95c. Hay dull; prime $23; Coffee quiet; fair to prime 17⅛@19⅛c, gold, for cargoes, in bond; original $20; repacked jobbing $19,70@19,75. Bacon firm at 9⅛@12⅛@13⅛c. Dry salt meats dull; 8⅛, 8⅛, 12⅛@12⅛c. Hams: fresh, choice sugar cured in fair demand at 13@13⅛c. Lard dull; quoted: tierce 14c; keg 14⅛c. Whisky quiet; $1,19@1,22. Corn meal dull at $4,05@4,10. Sugar: some coming in; jobbing: common 8c; low fair to fully fair 8⅛@8⅞c; prime to strictly prime 9⅛@9⅛c. Molasses none coming in; nothing doing; quoted at 40@70c.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, June 23.—Cotton steady at 14⅛c. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull at $1,20@1,27. Corn dull at 69@71c. Oats dull at 66@68c. Rye dull and nominal. Oils unchanged. Eggs firm at 16c. Butter and cheese: demand fair and market firm. Provisions easier. Pork sold at 19c, spot. Lard nominal at 12⅛@13c; summer sold at 12@12⅛c; kettle in fair demand at 13⅛c. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 8⅛c; clear rib 11⅛c; clear 11⅛c. Bacon: demand fair and market firm at 9⅛, 12⅛@12⅛c. Whisky steady and in moderate demand at $1,14.

Foreign.

LONDON, June 23.—Tallow 40s.

ANTWERP, June 23.—Petroleum: refined 26⅛f.

LIVERPOOL, June 23.—Cotton steady; middling upland 7 7-16d; Orleans 7⅛d; sales of 12,000 bales, including 2,000 bales for speculation and export; 7,200 bales American. Flour: extra State western 22s. Wheat: No 2 to No 1 spring 8s 3d@8s 10d. Corn 32s 6d. Pork: western 73s 6d; eastern 82s 6d. Beef 72s 6d. Cheese 58s. Lard 57s. Bacon: c. c. 48s 6d. Tallow 41s. Refined petroleum 9d; spirits 7⅛d.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, June 23.—Flour steady and in moderate demand. Wheat dull and declined; No 2 white Wabash $1,27; extra white Michigan $1,26⅛@1,27; amber do $1,22⅛@1,23; No 2 red $1,22⅛@1,22⅛; seller July $1,23⅛. Corn active, but 1@2c lower; high mixed cash and seller June 72c; seller July 72⅛c; seller August 74⅛@74⅛c; seller September 76⅛c; low mixed 71⅛c; no grade 69c; damaged 60c. Oats dull and lower; No 2 and Michigan 55c.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, June 23.—Cotton: demand fair and market firm at 12⅛@13⅛c. Flour quiet at $4,50@6,50. Wheat steady at $1,20@1,25. Corn steady at 88c. Oats steady at 75c. Lard 15c. Bulk meats steady; shoulders 9c, sides 12⅛@12⅛c. Bacon firm; shoulders 10c; sides 13⅛@13⅛c. Sugar cured hams 13⅛c, all packed. Whisky: demand fair and market firm at $1,20.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, June 23.—Cotton steady at 14⅛c. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat quiet at $1,10@1,15. Corn dull at 72@76c. Oats nominal at 64@67c. Rye nominal at $1,10. Pork $19,50@20. Bulk meats 8⅛, 11⅛@12c. Bacon 9⅛, 9⅛, 12⅛@13c. Sugar cured hams 13@13⅛c. Lard: tierce 14⅛@15c; kegs 15⅛@15⅛c. Whisky $1,14.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, June 23.—Cotton unchanged. Flour nominal at $4,75@7,25. Wheat dull at $1,32. Corn dull at 65c. Oats dull at 55⅛c. Rye lower at $1,03. Whisky steady at $1,18. Pork firmer at $19,75. Dry salt meats: more doing at 8, 11⅛@11⅛c. Bacon quiet. Lard lower at 12c.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, June 23.—Flour entirely nominal. Wheat weak; No 1 Milwaukee $1,04; No 2 $1,01⅛. Oats dull; No 2 in store 50c. Corn nominally lower; No 2 mixed in store 65⅛@66c. Rye steady; No 1 in store 95c. Barley quiet and steady; $1,20@1,25, according to location.

Boston.

BOSTON, June 23.—Flour: demand moderate, with the trade purchasing only small lots as wanted; large lots could only be forced off at a concession. Corn: demand moderate and prices firm at 85@90c for mixed and yellow. Oats dull at 68@74c for mixed and white.

Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 23.—Flour steady at $3,75@6,25. Wheat steady; $1,12@1,15; amber $1,15@1,20; white $1,20@1,25. Corn steady; car 65c; shelled 68@70c. Oats steady and in moderate demand; mixed 63c; white 64c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, June 23.—Wheat lower; No 1 red $1,23; No 2 do $1,18. Corn unchanged. Oats dull and lower; No 1 State 62c; No 2 60c; white 63c. Petroleum quiet; standard white in car lots 10c; Ohio State test 11c; small lots 1@2c higher.

Detroit.

DETROIT, June 23.—Flour dull at $5,75@6. Wheat firm; extra $1,27; No 1 $1,26⅛; amber $1,23. Corn quiet; No 1 68@69c. Oats quiet and unchanged.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, June 23.—Cotton firm; middling 14⅛c. Flour dull and nominal. Wheat firm at $1,20@1,25. Corn easier at 82@86c. Provisions quiet and unchanged.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, June 23.—Wheat unchanged; No 1 Milwaukee club $1,17. Corn dull for high mixed.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Beeves: fresh offerings 2,880 head, mainly fair to prime steers from Chicago; demand weaker and prices ruled ⅛c lower than on Monday; a few extra steers sold at 13⅛@13⅛c; common Colorado cattle and Cherokee stillers 9@10c, but the general range for native steers was 11@12c. Sheep and lambs: receipts 4,270 to-day and 1,460 yesterday; market extremely weak and depressed at 4@5⅛c for sheep and 7@9c for spring lambs. Swine: receipts 6,970 to-day and 3,630 yesterday; none offered alive; dressed unchanged at 8@9⅛c.

BUFFALO, June 23.—Cattle: receipts 1,717 head; total for the week 9,333; market active yesterday late in the day; dull this morning; but few good cattle offering; about all sold; yards comfortably full of light common trash; sales: 600 Ohio steers, averaging 972 to 1,246 lbs, at $5,15@6,12⅛; 400 Illinois steers, averaging 1,038 to 1,190 lbs, at $4,62⅛@6,30; 150 Indiana steers, 1,008 to 1,587 lbs, at $5,62⅛@7; 200 Texas and Cherokees, 816 to 932 lbs, at $4,25@4,40. Sheep and lambs: receipts 2,400 head; total for the week 9,600 head; market weak and slow at yesterday's prices. Hogs: receipts 2,100 head; total for the week 11,700; market dull and slow; Yorkers $7@7,25; heavy hogs holding at $7,25@7,40. no demand; none sold.

CHICAGO, June 23.—Cattle: receipts 4,000 head; market rather more active, but with a strong downward tendency; choice to extra shipping $6,25@6,90; stockers and butchers dull and lower; common to good $4@5; shipments 2,000 head. Hogs: receipts 12,000 head; market active, steady and firm; poor to choice $6,55@7,35; generally at $7,10@7,20; shipments 3,000 head. Sheep: receipts 800 head; market dull and entirely nominal.

ST. LOUIS, June 23.—Hogs steady; shippers 6⅛@6⅛c; butchers $6,75@7,10c. Cattle weak; fair to good Texans $6,15@6,50; common to medium $2⅛@2,50.

CINCINNATI, June 23.—Hogs steady and in moderate demand; ranging at $6,50@7,10, mostly $6,65@6,85.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Business continues quiet with cotton goods and print commission houses. Shirts and drawers are more active, and orders are received by agents for fancy wool hosiery. Cotton flannels are in better demand. Fancy cassimeres and worsted coatings are in fair request. Five hundred pieces of black German doeskins were sold at auction to-day at fair prices. Dress goods and shawls are quiet.

RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY.—DAILY REPORT OF THE STAGE OF WATER, WITH CHANGES IN THE 24 HOURS ENDING 3 P. M.

Pittsburgh, June 23, 1875.

Stations.	Above low water ft.	in.	Change —or+ ft.	in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Cincinnati, O.	14	11	−2	1	SW	Clear.
Keokuk, Iowa	10	1		−4	S	Clear.
La Crosse, Wis.	4	6		−1	SE	Cloudy.
Leavenworth	14	11		−1	S	Fair.
Louisville, Ky	7	10	+1	2	SE	Fair.
Memphis, Tenn	17	5		+8	SW	Clear.
Omaha, Neb.	13			+8	SW	Fair.
Pittsburgh	2	11		−1	W	Fair.
St. Louis, Mo.	23	4		−1	S	Fair.
St. Paul, Minn.	8			−2	NE	Lt Rain.
Vicksburg, Miss.	26	5		−3	SW	Fair.

GEO. H. ROHE,
Sergeant Signal Service, U. S. A.

THE stage of water last evening was thirty-five inches, a decline of four inches during the twenty-four hours ending at that time. Cloudy and hot, with indications favorable for more rain.

There were no arrivals from below, and there are no boats due for several days.

THE Fannie Tatum arrived at Cincinnati yesterday.

THE Ashland is again loading at Cincinnati for Pittsburgh.

THE C. B. Church is on her way from St. Louis with a load of iron ore.

THE towboat J. N. Camden is repairing her machinery at Cincinnati.

GALLIPOLIS collected $1,103.51 wharfage for the quarter ending June 1st.

THE Mallie Ragon is being painted and fitted up at Wheeling for the Parkersburg trade.

THE towboats John Gilmore and I. N. Phillips are laid up at Marietta, waiting for water.

THERE was no insurance on the Skillinger in Pittsburgh offices; but in Wheeling and Cincinnati.

THE Monongahela was reported rising at Rice's Landing yesterday, and the Allegheny falling at Oil City.

MR. WM. OLIVER, of the well-known coal firm of Neel & Oliver, died at his residence in Mifflin township yesterday, in the 53d year of his age.

THERE was not a single boat in port yesterday after the departure of the Exchange, excepting those laid up, and the wharf presented a very dreary appearance.

THE Exchange departed for Cincinnati about 2 P. M., with all the freight she could take and a fair number of passengers. She left here drawing about 37 inches. Pilots, Hamilton and Henderson.

THE R. W. Skillinger, burnt on Monday night, at Cincinnati, was owned by Captain J. T. Russell, commander, and V Dutenhafer and James Robertson, of Wheeling, was valued at $12,000, and insured as follows:

Eureka, Cincinnati	$2,500
Farmers, Cincinnati	2,000
Ætna, Hartford	2,500
Peabody, Wheeling	2,500
Total	$9,500

A MR. SHOEMAKER, of Indianapolis, wants to buy the Strangers' Home, on the levee, and lease the city property in front of it, to remodel the home for a good hotel and build a splendid park in front of it. He wanted to spend $30,000 in this way, besides making a much needed improvement on the levee, and was about to commence the work, but now the city "hog like" wants him to run it ten years, spend his money and then give it back to the city for nothing, which, of course, Mr. Shoemaker ain't going to do. This is just like Louisville. In fact, she never did know how to look after her own interests. Here's a man wants to come to our city, make a big improvement, spend lots of money, and Louisville invites him to come, then turns around and kicks him out of town.—*Louisville Courier.*

A ST. LOUIS dispatch of June 22, says:—The Jno. M. Chambers, which arrived from Fort Rice, reports the Missouri rising fast from Jefferson City down. The Chambers reports business on the Upper Missouri dull. The iron snagboat, John N. Macomb, arrived from the Missouri yesterday, after stores and fuel, and returns to-morrow, to remain until September. She has taken out over six hundred snags since April. Two such boats would keep the river clear of snags between St. Louis and New Orleans. Business fair. The Shippers' Own failed to get any cargo, and returns to the Ohio light. There is no iron ore offering. Capt. John N. Bofinger arrived from the mouth of the Mississippi yesterday, and gives encouraging accounts of Captain Eads' prospect. He thinks that the jetties will have produced all that is claimed for them inside of a year.

(*For Latest River Dispatches see Fourth Page.*)

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD—1 car lumber Heath & S; 1 do A S Russell; 1 box scales Fairbanks M & Co; 1 box mdse Reymer Bro; 13 bbls cullett W McCully & Co, 1 car lumber Slack & S; 8 bbls rakes Logan G & Co; 24 do Whitmore W L & Co; 5 bdls chairs W B McLane; 1 case tobacco R & W Jenkinson; 14 bxs casting Lindsay & Co; 25 bxs starch Wm Cooper & Co; 85 pkgs fish Haworth & D; 10 bxs cheese J H Loh & Co; 25 bbls flour Schomaker & Co; 4 bdls shafts J W Moore; 1 car lime Wm Yeaker; 1 car oats S T Farley; 1 do W G Millers; 90 bbls oil H McDonald; 16 do do C H Lewis; 85 sks oats F Schiebs; 1 car clay James Marshall & Co; 36 chairs Dauler & Son; lot furniture W H Lemon; 12 tables H Berger; 4 bbls do apples John White Jr & Son; 4 tubs butter 1 cask eggs 7 bbls beans Voigt M & Co; 2 tubs cheese J Daub; 39 sks oats P Duff & Son; 80 tes hams E H Myers & Co; 50 bbls pickles Heinz N & Co; lot furniture B Rothman; 7 cases eggs 4 barrels do W H Clark; 9 cases 4 bbls do J J Pettit & Co; 7 cks beer J C Buffum.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—35 bbls potatoes H M Caldwell & Co; 10 tres meat R Carson; 1 box tobacco Landis & H; 3 bbls oil S M Willock; 2 bxs drugs R E Sellers & Co; 1 case mdse John Kaiser; 12 bags sundries G A Martin; 35 bbls lead Fahnestock H & Co; 230 sks malt H Wolf; 3 bbls eggs Head C & Co, 1 do 6 tubs butter 4 bbls eggs J H Loh & Co; 2 do C W Seville; 10 do Caskey B & Co; 10 sks scraps Wm Flaccus & Son; 4 pkgs fish Wm Cooper & Co; 107 sks oats 33 do wheat McHenry & H; 20 sks lead Penna Lead Co; 1 b rim N Baird; 5 bbls whisky Mohr & M; 24 tres bacon E H Myers & Co; 23 bales cotton Kennedy C & Co; 1 car lay L G Graff & Co; 1 do C H Stuchfield; 1 do corn in sacks Keil & R; 23 em o barrels National Oil Works; 8 sks g scraps Wm Flaccus & Son; 10 boxes tobacco J Wilson & Son; 150 tres hams J P Hanna & Co; 20 do J Bomback Jr; 20 do meat W & C Zoller.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.—37 cars coal Armstrong D & Co; 73 do N Y & C G C Co; 29 do Sable Coal Co; 4 do hay Robert Wright; 1 do Scott & G; 1 do Jas Graham; 1 do H J McCracken & Bro; 2 do O H Allerton; 1 do Beckert & G; 1 do hay J S Hinchman; 2 do bark J C Lappe; 1 do Wm Flaccus & Son; 1 do J Brown; 7 do lumber W H Barton; 4 do Bryant & H; 1 do Ford & M; 5 do stone Shoenberger B & Co; 2 do Lee Chant Lake Ice Co; 2 do clay Harbison & W; 1 do potatoes S Oatman & Son; 3 do clay Star Fire Brick Co; 1 bbl eggs 1 box butter J Seibert; 2 bxs butter Brown & C; 36 bdls hides Wm Mooney & Son; 1 hatter 12 brackets Armstrong & F; 1 box brushes P H Laufman; 1 do brushes E Webster & Bro.

PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—1 car flour F H Seghmyer; 1 car p lead Fahnestock White Lead Co; 1 car hay J Rose; 1 do flour Houck Mc & Co; 40 do J Willson Jr; 10 do Arbuckle & Son; Wilbert & W; 1 do spring R J Williams; 14 sacks oats G L Peabody; 50 bbls flour Kamp Kail & Co; 11 sks rags Knox & C; 2 bags beeswax F G Craighead; 98 sks rags Logan G & Co; 1 bbl eggs J H Loh & Co; 10 bbls apples Voigt M & Co; 25 do flour H Schneibach; 140 sks oats 17 do rye Elwood & McC; 1 car lime Mills & Co; 1 do shingles Union Planing Mills.

RECEIPTS AT PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR.—1 car oats 1 do barley McHenry & H; 1 do rye J S Finch & Co; 1 do oats Elwood & McC.

SCRAP IRON, &c.

W. J. HAMMOND,

DEALER IN

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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—On and after SUNDAY, May 23d, 1874, trains will leave Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows:

CITY TIME.

MAIN LINE EASTWARD.

PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, except Monday, 2:36 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:35 a. m., Philadelphia 3:35 p. m.; New York 6:45 p. m.

DAY EXPRESS daily, at 7:26 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:55 p. m., Philadelphia 6:20 p. m., New York 9:15 p. m., Baltimore 6:35 p. m. Washington 8:17 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 7:41 a.m., arriving at Harrisburg 8:10 p. m.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS daily, at 12:51 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:05 p. m., Philadelphia 3:10 a. m., New York 6:50 a. m., Baltimore 3:05 a. m., Washington 6:20 a. m.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily except Sunday, 4:21 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:20 a. m., Philadelphia 6:45 a. m., New York 10:10 a. m.

FAST LINE daily, at 7:41 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:45 a. m., Philadelphia 7:35 a. m., New York 10:25 a. m., Baltimore 7:35 a. m., Washington 9:02 a. m.

WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:06, 6:41, 10:21, 11:46 a. m., 2:41, 5:41, 6:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 12:51 p. m.

BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 5:01 and 9:26 p. m. Sunday 9:26 p. m.

WILKINSBURG ACCOM. 7:11 p. m.

JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p.m.

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Trains arrive at Union Depot, as follows, city time.

Mail Train daily, except Monday	1:21 a. m.
Fast Line daily except Monday	1:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily except Monday	6:56 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily	7:11 a. m.
Pacific Express daily	1:41 p. m.
Way Passenger daily	8:21 p. m.

Wall's Accommodation 7:36, 8:21, 9:01 a. m. 1:21, 2:41, 5:46 and 7:51 p. m. Sunday 10:01 a. m.

Brinton Accommodation 7:36 a. m. 7:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 7:11 p. m.

Wilkinsburg Accommodation 9:27 p. m.

Johnstown Accommodation 10:11 p. m.

SOUTH-WEST PENN. RAILWAY.

Youghiogheny Express, except Sunday, 8:26 a. m.

Connellsville Accom. daily, except Sunday, 6:06 p. m.

Trains arrive from Connellsville at 9:41 a. m. and 6:46 p. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.

From Federal Street Depot, Allegheny City, city time.

MAIL TRAIN connecting for Butler....6:36 a.m.
EXPRESS connecting for Butler.........2:26 p.m.
FREEPORT ACCOM..9:24 a. m. and 5:01 p.m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM. 11:31 a. m. 6:16, 8:41 and 11:21 p. m. On Sunday, 12:51 and 9:21 p. m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER 3:21 p. m.

Trains arrive at Federal street Depot, city time,
Express connecting from Butler.........10:11 a.m.
Mail Train connecting from Butler...... 5:51 p.m.
Freeport Accommodation, 8:06 a.m. and 2:36 p.m.
Springdale Accom. 6:51 a. m., 3:49, 7:11 and 11:16 p. m. On Sunday 9:51 a. m, and 7:01 p. m.
Market Train from Butler 9:11 a. m.

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Change of Time—Summer Arrangement.

On and after SUNDAY, June 6th, 1875, trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water Sts., as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Uniontown Ac.	6:25am	McKeesport Ac.	6:45am
Through Mail	8:25am	McKeesport Ac.	7:30am
McKeesport Ac	9:55am	W. Newton Ac.	8:15am
McKeesport Ac	3:15pm	Uniontown Ac.	9:45am
Uniontown Ac.	3:45pm	Express	11:35am
McKeesport Ac	4:20pm	McKeesport Ac	2:00pm
W. Newton Ac	5:15pm	Uniontown Ac.	5:40pm
McKeesport Ac	6:5[illegible]pm	McKeesport Ac	6:19pm
Through Ex.	7:15pm	McKeesport Ac	7:40pm
McKeesport Owl Train	11:15pm	Through Mail	8:20pm
M'Keesp't C'hT	12:45pm	McKeesp't C'hT	10:05am

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PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA & CHARLESTON RAILWAY.

On and after THURSDAY, June 17, 1875, and until further notice, Trains will leave and arrive at Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh Time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Monongahela Ac	11:10am	Through Mail	8:45am
Express	3:33pm	Express	10:55am

The above trains will stop at Second avenue crossing.

Additional trains leave and arrive at 226 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail	6:10am	Homestead Ac.	6:40am
Mixed Way	6:50am	Through Mail	8:30am
Monongahela Ac	1:[illegible]	Express	10:46am
Express	3:55pm	Mixed Way	4:25pm
Homestead Ac.	[illegible]	Pittsburgh Ac.	6:10pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8.00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m.

Extra train leaves South Pittsburgh on Saturday at 1:15 P. M., running to Homestead. Returning, leaves Homestead at 2:00 p. m., arriving at South Pittsburgh at 2:35 p. m.

Through connections daily, (except Sunday) to and from Brownsville, as follows, leave Brownsville at 5:00 a.m. and 12:00 m., connecting to reach Union Depot, Pittsburgh, at 10:55 a. m. and South Pittsburgh at 6:10 p. m. Returning, trains leave South Pittsburgh at 6:10 a. m., Union Depot at 11:10 a. m. and 3:33 p. m., connecting with Packets reaching Brownsville at 11:30 a.m., 5:30 and 9:30 p. m.

Tickets on sale at A. V. R. R. Ticket Office, and Baggage checked from P. R. R. Baggage Rooms, Union Depot.

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JOHN M. BYERS, Ch. Eng. and Supt.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY. (Panhandle Route.)

On and after SUNDAY, May 23, 1875, Trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:15am	McDonald's Ac	6:47am
Pacific Express	7:43am	Cincinnati Ex.	6:57am
Columbus Mail	7:57am	Washington Ac.	8:22am
Washington Ac.	8:52am	Steubenville Ac.	9:37am
McDonald's Ac	10:57am	McDonald's Ac	2:02pm
Pittsburgh Ex.	2:12pm	Washington Ac.	4:12pm
Steubenville Ac.	3:42pm	Columbus Mail.	5:32pm
Washington Ac.	5:12pm	Fast Line	7:13pm
McDonald's Ac	6:22pm	Southern Ex.	3:15am
McDonald's Ac	10:37pm	Sunday Church.	10:02am
Sunday Church	12:47pm		

Fast Line and Pacific Express leave daily.
Fast Line and Cincinnati Express arrive daily.
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S. M. FELTON, Jr., Gen. Supt.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY, CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

On and after MAY 23d, 1875, Trains will leave and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:12am	Atlantic Ex.	2:22am
Erie & Ash't Ex.	7:12am	Wheeling Ex.	10:47am
Cl. & Wh'g Mail	7:42am	Chicago Ex.	12:27pm
Chicago Ex.	8:12am	Erie & Ash. Ex.	2:42pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:52pm	Cleveland Ex.	3:52pm
Pacific Ex.	2:12pm	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	7:07pm
Wheeling Ex.	4:17pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	7:22pm
Erie & War Ex.	4:37pm	Erie & Ash. Ex.	11:27pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:37am	Leetsdale Ac.	6:52am
Leetsdale Ac.	10:27am	Leetsdale Ac.	7:27am
Leetsdale Ac.	12:07pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:12am
Sharps. & As. Ac	1:12pm	Enon Accom.	8:47am
Enon Accom.	3:42pm	Sharps. & War Ac	9:52am
Leetsdale Ac.	5:12pm	Leetsdale Ac.	12:52pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:27pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:12pm
Leetsdale Ac.	8:27pm	Leetsdale Ac.	4:27pm
Leetsdale Ac.	10:57pm	Leetsdale Ac.	7:37pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:22pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:52am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.

Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Atlantic Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.

All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

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General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
J. D. LAYNG, General Manager.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD—On and after MONDAY, May 24th, 1875, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
1st S. Works Ac	6:55am	Night Express	6:00am
Buffalo Ex.	8:05am	Parnassus Ac.	6:45am
2d S Works Ac	10:30am	1st S. Works Ac	8:00am
Titusville Ex.	2:10pm	2d S. Works Ac	10:00am
Reynoldsville Ac	3:20pm	Reynoldsville Ac	11:05am
Hulton Ac.	4:55pm	3d S. Works Ac	1:55pm
3d S. Works Ac	6:00pm	Titusville Ex.	5:50pm
Night Ex.	8:10pm	Hulton Ac.	7:20pm
Parnassus Ac.	11:00pm	Buffalo Ex.	8:55pm

All Trains Daily, except Sunday.

Church Train leaves Soda Works at 8:35 a. m., arriving at Pittsburgh at 10:10 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:30 p. m., arriving at Soda Works at 2:25 p. m., stopping at all stations.

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Buffalo Express north connects at Red Bank with train on Low grade Division for Brookville and Driftwood, making direct connections at Driftwood with trains on the P. & E. R. R. eastward to Williamsport, and westward to Emporium, Olean and points on B. N. Y. & P. R. R.

Buffalo Express, north and south, and Titusville Express north, connect at Red Bank with trains on Sligo Branch for Sligo and Clarion county.

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HOME NEWS.

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On account of the failing health of Mr. M. G. Anderson, subscribers to the GAZETTE in East Liberty will be supplied by Mr. L. Harvey, whose agency dates from June 14. Mr. Harvey is an energetic and faithful man, and will deliver the GAZETTE early and regularly, and to the satisfaction of all who may favor him with their orders.

The Gazette for the Summer.

Persons leaving the city for the summer can have the Daily GAZETTE sent to them by mail, by leaving their orders at the counting-room.

Watch Stolen

About noon yesterday some person entered the saloon of Jacob Daunch, at the corner of Beaver avenue and Locust street, Allegheny, while the proprietor was at his dinner, and stole a silver watch and chain.

To be Sworn In.

The new Infantry Company organized in Allegheny, the Allegheny City Guards, will be sworn in at Knapp's battery armory on Friday evening. They will then proceed to elect their officers.

A Tasty Company.

The Columbia Engine Company of Allegheny take great pride in their new house and new machinery, and keep everything in tip top order. Yesterday they received a lot of flowering plants from Mr. Harper, Superintendent of the Parks, and they proceeded to fill a number of large boxes with earth and plant the flowers. They also made several hanging baskets and filled them with plants, and then got a lot of gold fish and fixed up a very nice acquarium. They are fixing their house up very prettily.

Obituary.

The death of Mr. William Oliver, which took place at the family residence in Mifflin township, about four o'clock yesterday morning, will be learned with feelings of regret and sorrow by his many friends. The deceased was a large coal dealer, and up to within six months of his death, had been actively engaged in business. For some time he had been a sufferer from an affection of the heart and kidneys. His death, though not unexpected, will be regretted by a large circle of friends, who will remember with admiration his many virtues and Christian graces which stood out boldly in his pure life. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

Mortuary Record

Dr. Snively, Physician to the Board of Health, reports forty-two deaths in this city for the week ending Saturday last, as follows: Accident by burn, 1; asthma, 1; cholera infantum, 2; cirrhosis of liver, 1; cerebro spinal fever, 1; consumption, 3; convulsions, 2; debility, 1; diarrhœa, 1; enteritis, 3; erysipelas, 1; scarlet fever, 3; heart disease, 2; valvular disease, 1; hernia, 2; hemorrhage of bowels, 1; heart clot, 1; marasmus, 4; malformation of heart, 1; meningitis, 3; metro-peritonitis, 2; pneumonitis, 3; whooping cough, 1. Under 1 year, 14; from 1 to 2, 4; from 2 to 5, 4; from 5 to 10, 2; from 10 to 20, 1; from 20 to 30, 5; from 30 to 40, 2; from 40 to 50, 5; from 50 to 60, 1; from 60 to 70, 3; from 70 to 80, 1. Married, 12; single, 29, and widowers 1. Males, 23; females, 19. White, 40; colored, 2.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Monongahela Insurance Company, called June 21, 1875, to take action relative to the death of Mr. John McDevitt, their fellow member and Vice President of the Company, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That in the removal by death of Mr. John McDevitt, the city has lost a most useful and efficient citizen, an honorable gentleman, and one whose many services will long be remembered by the community.

Resolved, That the Board has lost one of its ablest and most active members, in whose sound judgment and business experience it could confidently rely in the management of its affairs.

Resolved, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in their affliction, and that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the company and a copy sent to the family of the deceased.

JOHN H. CLANEY, Secretary. W. A. CALDWELL, President.

Struck by a Train

Shortly before eight o'clock yesterday morning a lady named Miss Margaret Moore made a very narrow escape from being killed on the P., Ft. W. & C. R. R. track, in Allegheny. At the time mentioned, she started to walk across the track, a short distance below the outer depot, and as she is rather hard of hearing, did not hear the Erie express, which was approaching, and as she wore a sun-bonnet she did not see it, and the flag pole in the front part of the locomotive struck her on the head and knocked her down, but fortunately it was at the side of the track. She was getting up when she was struck by the steps on one of the cars and knocked down again. She was helped to her home on California avenue and Dr. Buchanan summoned, who found several severe bruises on her head and shoulder, but no bones were broken. If she had been one step farther on the track she would have been killed.

Robbers Busy in Allegheny.

A couple of burglars entered the residence of Mr. John Stacy, No. 181 Rebecca street, Allegheny, at an early hour yesterday morning. Mr. Stacy was awakened and caught one of them, but the companion came to the rescue and struck Mr. Stacy on the head with a handy-billy, rendering him partially unconscious, and inflicting a wound from which the blood flowed freely. The burglars then escaped. An information has been made, but thus far there is no clue to the perpetrators.

Yesterday morning a bold rascal entered the house of Mrs. Catharine Welty, on Spring Garden avenue, and pretending to be in distress, asked for help. She recognized him as John Luckhoopt, who had once been in her employ, and help was refused. He became angry at the refusal and threw her to the floor. She escaped from him and fled to another room. He then ransacked the place and took from a cupboard $200 in greenbacks, with which he disappeared. An information has been made against him, and an officer is on his track.

SERIOUS OFFENSE.

A Young Girl Assaulted—The Assailant Captured.

Great excitement was created yesterday on the South Side, in the vicinity of the Tenth street bridge, by an assault which was committed upon a young girl. The victim was Miss Davis, about fifteen years of age, who was carrying dinner to her brothers, who work in the mill near at hand. She had almost reached the mill, and was walking along the wharf—the road being somewhat unfrequented, except by the mill hands—when she was assaulted by a man, who knocked her down and cruelly abused her. The man then fled and took a skiff to cross the river. The girl at once notified her brothers, who were in the mill, of what had transpired, and they started in pursuit. They procured a skiff, and with a police officer, overhauled the fugitive about the middle of the river. He surrendered, and was brought to the shore. When taken before Alderman Donley he gave his name as John Walters, and was committed in default of $1,000 bail.

The people were very much incensed, and for a time it was feared that he would be summarily dealt with, but wiser counsel prevailed.

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NATION TRUST CO. COMPROMISE.

Important Session of the Finance Committee Yesterday Afternoon—Propositions for the Relief of the Stockholders Submitted—An Agreement to Surrender Prospective Interest, Add Accrued Interest to the Principal and Grant an Extension.

A meeting of the Finance Committee was held yesterday afternoon, in the City Controller's office, for the purpose of considering a compromise proposition from the attorneys for the stockholders of the Nation Trust Company. The session was well attended and resulted in an agreement to recommend to Councils a compromise which will relieve the stockholders from much of the difficulty in which they are now entangled. The subject was opened by a speech from Mr. Schoyer, attorney for some of the stockholders, who recited the troubles with which they are now contending and said that unless a helping hand is extended them they must necessarily go under; be ruined themselves, their numerous employes thrown out of work and disaster brought upon many others.

FROM THE STOCKHOLDERS.

In behalf of his clients he submitted the following, which he hoped would prove acceptable to the committee:

Proposition in Behalf of the Stockholders of the Nation Trust Company:

1st. That the bonds and mortgages now held by James Veech, Trustee, shall be taken as payment to the amount of their face, and that the payment of said bonds and mortgages shall be extended, without interest, for one, two, three and four years, from July 1, 1875.

2d. That the assets in the hands of John H. Bailey, Receiver, shall also be taken as payment, as of the date of July 1, 1875, at a value to be fixed by appraisers to be named by the Finance Committee of the City Councils.

3d. That the balance of the entire indebtedness shall be funded, without interest, in bonds and mortgages, at one, two, three and four years, without interest. The persons giving such bonds and mortages to be responsible only for the payment of their own obligations and to be entitled to be subrogated to the claims of creditors as against the other members of the firm; said bonds and mortgages to be made to ——, Trustee; and any of said mortgages to have the right to anticipate payment of their obligations in whole or in any sum not less than the amount of any instalment thereof.

Under the existing arrangement the stockholders are required to pay twenty per cent. of their indebtedness every six months. The acceptance of the above proposition, or of the one below, submitted by Mr. Thompson, both of which provide for the surrender of the prospective interest for the next four years, involves a loss to the city of about $100,000. Thirty-four thousand dollars in interest is now due from the stockholders, and Mr. Schoyer asked that the Finance Committee, in behalf of the city, waive its claim to that amount also. He urged immediate action if any relief is to be extended the stockholders, and favored, if necessary, the calling of a special meeting of Councils to consider the matter.

MR. THOMPSON'S SUBSTITUTE.

As a substitute for the proposition of Mr. Schoyer, Mr. Thompson presented the following:

Resolved, That the Committee recommend that Councils authorize a composition with the stockholders of the Nation Trust Company on the following basis, provided the same is accepted by other creditors of the said company:

1. That the creditors take the mortgages now in the hands of Hon. Jas. Veech at their par value, and extend the time of payment of the balance due on them for one, two, three and four years from this date with interest.

2. That they take the cash in the hands of the Receiver and the mortgages on the real estate formerly owned by the Nation Trust Company, at its par value, in part payment of the indebtedness of the company.

3. That the individual stockholders give their individual bonds, satisfactorily secured by first mortgages on real estate, in such amounts as shall be hereafter agreed on, but amounting in the aggregate, with the mortgages and assets mentioned in the first and second paragraphs above, to the whole amount of the claims of the creditors, including interest to date of composition. Said bonds and mortgages shall be payable in three annual instalments with interest from date.

4. That upon receiving the securities above mentioned the creditors will release the stockholders giving said securities from all joint liabilities.

WHAT THE DIFFERENCES ARE.

The chief differences in the two propositions, without subsequent amendments, are these: Mr. Thompson's provides for the payment of accrued and prospective interest, for the taking of the cash in the hands of the Receiver and the mortgages on the property formerly owned by the Nation Trust Company, and an extension of three years. Mr. Schoyer's provides for the surrender of accrued and future interest, for an extension of four years and for the taking of all the securities in the hands of the Receiver. Both propositions provide for a severance of the joint responsibility of the stockholders, and instead of each being liable for the whole indebtedness, he is only made liable for a certain part of it. Mr. Schoyer dilated upon this feature as one of the most salutary in the proposed compromise, and said that if it was adopted each stockholder would know just exactly how much he would have to meet instead of being obliged to bear up under the weight of the entire indebtedness of the company—$900,000—and that it would also have the effect of restoring the credit of the stockholders.

Mr. Fetterman argued that by dropping the interest now due and waiving the same for the next four years the city would lose $200,000. It would be surrendering the six per cent. interest now required from the stockholders and still paying seven per cent. on the city's lost bonds. He said that last Summer statements were made to the effect that the stockholders were worth millions, and that if only given time they would be fully able to meet all liabilities, but that now matters bear a different aspect.

ILL ADVISED STATEMENTS.

Mr. Schoyer said he was not responsible for statements made last year, as he had then no connection with the matter, but he considered them, to say the least, ill advised. What might have been the case last Summer may have been since altered by circumstances, and some of the allegations then he thought might have been made in the heat of endeavor to arrive at a settlement satisfactory to all. He also stated that $47,000 in judgments against the stockholders are now in the hands of the Sheriff, and that the settlement or pushing of them would depend upon the action of the Finance Committee in accepting or rejecting a compromise.

Mr. Shipton favored doing all that was possible for the stockholders, but at the same time he felt that he must do his duty to the city also. The question of interest he considered the most important one.

Mr. Schoyer replied that he did not wish the committee to act otherwise than as business men, and as they would do in looking after their own affairs. Their action he thought would be endorsed by the entire community, as the press and public sentiment certainly favored a compromise. He was opposed to the forty per cent. proposition and didn't think councils would accept it.

Mr. Aiken favored the foregoing of prospective interest, and Mr. Waring did also. The latter said that by the acceptance of Mr. Thompson's proposition, with the exception that future interest be abated, the city would get dollar for dollar, but that if the present arrangement should be continued in force the stockholders might go into bankruptcy, and as property has depreciated the city would lose the biggest part of its claim.

PAST AND PROSPECTIVE.

Mr. Littell—If the enormous debt of $900,000 is allowed to hang like a pall over the stockholders, and no way of honestly escaping from it becomes manifest, they will be going into bankruptcy. Statements made one year ago in regard to the wealth of the stockholders have lost their force. Property at forced sales has declined one half less than last year. Not only the stockholders of the Nation Trust Company, but other people feel that they stand on a basis different from that of a year ago. The statement of Mr. Fetterman in regard to the city losing $200,000 is wholly fallacious. Two thirds of the stockholders responsible for this debt are now on the verge of bankruptcy and if they are not assisted the worst must come. What that worst is you all know. They will be obliged to go into bankruptcy, but none but the buzzards who follow in the wake of destruction would purchase their property after their honest exertions to pay their debts. At forced sales the city would come out with less than forty cents on the dollar. I can figure it up, and I do not think if we sell these men out that we will get our full claim. Men are not running around after the Sheriff, now, with money in their pockets to buy property at forced sales.

Mr. Brown again submitted the paper presented by Mr. Thompson and moved for its adoption.

Mr. Aiken wanted a division and a vote first on the question of surrendering prospective interest.

Mr. Fetterman thought that if possible the ability of the stockholders to pay the interest or any part of it should be ascertained before it was surrendered.

Mr. Schoyer didn't think that the claims against any of the stockholders, worked out by liquidation, would be worth more than fifty cents on the dollar. He said the personal property of all the stockholders would not suffice to pay the judgments, approximating $50,000, now in the hands of the Sheriff.

FUTURE INTEREST WAIVED.

Mr. Thompson—I move, with the understanding that I will vote against it, that the proposition submitted by me be so amended as to strike out all provisions for the payment of prospective interest.

Mr. McNamara—I do not see how men who cannot pay the interest on their obligations can pay the principal in three or four years. I am opposed to waiving the interest, and do not think the whole city should be made to suffer for the sake of a few.

Mr. Thompson's motion was carried, and Mr. Waring then moved that the accrued interest be abated.

Mr. Darlington—I call the yeas and nays.

Mr. Aiken—I do not object to having the yeas and nays called, but you cannot do it in committee.

Mr. Brown—Face the music, gentlemen, face the music.

Mr. Fox said that the committee had already decided to forego prospective interest, which would amount to $100,000, and that such an agreement would likely be favored by Councils, but that if too much was asked probably nothing would be granted. He thought the waiving of future interest was enough, and that the abatement of interest already accrued would be altogether too much. This opinion meeting with general favor, Mr. Waring withdrew his first motion and moved that the accrued interest, amounting to $34,353.56, be added to the principal, and that the stockholders be required to pay the whole in four equal annual instalments. The motion was carried, and, on motion of Mr. Thompson, the paper, as amended, was affirmatively recommended to Councils. The committee then adjourned.

The compromise, briefly stated, is thus: The city waives its claim to future interest on the indebtedness of the Nation Trust Company stockholders, the accrued interest is added to the principal, and the stockholders are granted an extension of four years. Whether Councils will ratify the agreement remains to be seen. It will be submitted at the meeting next Monday.

WESTERN UNIVERSITY.

Class Day Exercises—The Senior Class Indulge in Mirthful Memories.

Yesterday afternoon the "Class Day Exercises" of the Senior class of the Western University were held in University Hall. The occasion drew together a very large audience of ladies and gentlemen, who seemed to thoroughly enjoy the entertainment—judging from the generous applause with which the young performers were favored.

The exercises opened about two o'clock with a speech from the President of the occasion, C. W. Collier, who in a felicitous way, spoke of the memories of the hour. R. D. Thompson as orator was then introduced, and gave a very good sample of the oratorical powers of the class—mingling humor and sentiment very happily. J. J. Glass as the Historian, traced the history of the class, and gave many interesting and comic reminiscences of it, individually and collectively. J. H. Young as the "Prophet," had something to say of the future of each of "the boys," and pictured in glowing language the destiny of each, as it appeared to his seer's vision. E. A. Smith as the "Poet" furnished the rhyme for the occasion,—and the quality was all that could be desired. C. W. Neeb very tenderly and gracefully officiated as "Consoler" in commiserating those who were left behind at school—both faculty and pupils—but consoling them with suggestions of a better time coming. Then came the presentation scene, wherein J. N. Smith, as an evidence of esteem, passed over the "Wooden Spoon" to the kindly care and keeping of the class of '76. The class then unitedly woke melodious strains by the singing of the "Class Day Ode," which runneth in this wise:

CLASS DAY ODE.

(*Tune of "Old Folks at Home."*)

Oh! Schoolmates, how my heart grows weary,
Where'er I roam,
Way up on Ross and Diamond corner,
In our dear College Home.

CHORUS.

Oh, my heart grows sad and weary,
Everywhere I roam,
All up and down the halls and stairways,
Of this our College Home.

All up and down the well known pavement,
Sadly I roam,
There meditating on the changes,
Wrought in our College Home.

Boys, come and let us hope at leaving
These halls in tears,
That may our loved Alma Mater,
Prosper in coming years.

Oh! all ye wise and grave Professors,
Whom long we've known,
Sure are we that not Yale nor Harvard,
So learned a corps can own.

Poor Junior Class, so weak and helpless,
What will you do,
When our protection and assistance,
We shall withdraw from you.

Now from you all we part in sorrow,
Hoping to see
Who will accept our invitation,
And at Commencement be.

The Ode was a joint production of the class, and after it had floated out in silvery strains upon the breezes the exercises were brought to a close.

The entertainment throughout was one abounding in humor, and passed off very successfully. During the intervals between the speechmaking Teorge's Band favored the audience with some excellent music, and thus with music and poetry, humor and sentiment, and song, the Class Day of 1875 passed into that which was, but is not.

The regular commencement exercises will be held in the Third Presbyterian Church this evening, commencing at a quarter to eight o'clock.

At a meeting of the Alumni Association of the University the members of the class of 1875 were elected members of the association and the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Wm. J. Sawyer; Vice Presidents, James Carothers and Rev. John McCandless; Recording Secretary, George K. Miles; Corresponding Secretary, C. C. Dickey; Treasurer, William Thaw, Jr.; Executive Committee, I. N. Patterson, C. C. Montooth, John R. Wightman and C. C. Dickey.

THE COURT RECORD.

A Complete Report of the Proceedings in the Courts Yesterday.

Criminal Court.

(*Before Judge Stowe.*)

George Fisher plead guilty to a charge of fornication, preferred by Annie Hart. On a second count of seduction a *nolle pros.* was allowed.

Albert Gunst and George Barker, indicted for entering a building with intent to commit a felony, were acquitted.

In the case of Wm. Johnson, indicted for assault and battery with intent to commit a rape, on oath of Mary Shamp, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

John Hays (colored), indicted for felonious assault and battery on Noah Jackson, was convicted. It will be recollected that Hays stabbed Jackson in an alley off Sixth avenue, between Wood and Smithfield streets, in April last.

Frank Sellars, indicted for felonious assault and battery, on oath of Edward Richardson, was acquitted.

Frank Hart is on trial on a charge of false pretenses.

Trial List for To-day.

Commonwealth vs.

Jeff. Morgan et al.	Francis Flood.
Wm. Henderson,	Wm. Robinson et al.
Mary Woods,	Geo. Barker,
Pat. Case *alias* Taffy,	Thomas Mullen,
Wm. Rogers,	Eliza'th McAllister,
John Irwin,	John Garber,
Sam'l Rosenberger,	James Ford,
Wm. Gallagher,	Pat. McTurney,
Jas. O'Hara et al.	Geo. Koehler,
John Frazier,	Dan'l Driscoll,
Thos. Kauaugh et al.	Jacob King.

Court Brevities.

In the Common Pleas Court No. 2 yesterday, the cases of Mary Craig and Mary Houston vs. the Directors of the Security Trust Co., was argued before a full bench. It will be remembered that a compulsory *non suit* was ordered in these cases with leave for the plaintiff to make a motion to take it off, which was to be argued before the Court in *banc*. At the conclusion of the argument the Court took charge of the papers and reserved its decision. The defense set up was that the proceedings should have been by a bill in equity instead of an ordinary civil suit. These are regarded as test cases, and were brought to recover for losses against the directors on the ground of negligence. The plaintiffs were stockholders. It is understood that other and stronger suits will be instituted by depositors.

A bill in equity was filed in the same Court yesterday by the Saw Mill Valley Turnpike or Plank Road Company against the city of Allegheny and Chas. Falkner, contractor. The complainants say that the respondents are proceeding to dig a sewer on the line of their turnpike, on what is known as the Allegheny and Perrysville road, sixteen feet deep and ten feet wide from the intersection of Madison avenue northward, that by so doing they will cause irreparable injury in obstructing travel. An injunction is asked to restrain the defendants from further proceeding, and the Court is also requested to compel them to repair what has already been done.

To the Sea-Shore.

The West Jersey Railroad Company hav arranged their trains between Philadelphia and Cape May for the present season so as to afford the best possible facilities for visitors to that delightful sea-side resort. An express train leaves Philadelphia every morning at 9 o'clock, and reaches Cape May at 12:13 P. M., and a fast train leaves at 4 P. M., arriving at Cape May at 6:40, making the run of eighty-two miles in two hours and forty minutes. Returning, these trains leave Cape May,—the Fast Line at 7:30 A. M., and the Express at 5 P. M.,—making the same time as on the downward trip. On Saturday a train leaves at 2 P. M., arriving at Cape May at 4:50; returning on Monday, leaves Cape May at 6:30 A. M., and arrives at Philadelphia at 9:21. Round-trip tickets are sold at the low rate of $4. A Sunday train leaves Philadelphia at 7:30 A. M., arrives at Cape May at 10:45—leaves Cape May at 5 in the evening, and arrives at Philadelphia at 8:21—by which time the fare for the round trip is only $2.50.

UNHAPPY MARRIAGES.

A Matrimonial Engagement Broken at the Threshold of the Altar.

The truthful, though none the less cruel statisticion has developed the by no means creditable fact that quite a number of marriages entered into these few years past have notbeen prolific of that complete joy and happinesses generally anticipated and so naturally expeced by either or both of the contracting parties. Why misery of various degrees rather than unbounded conjugal felicity should follow so many marriages of the present time is a metaphysical problem which we do not venture to solve, nor imagine that we should succeed in any attempt to do so. Perhaps there are those who have given the subject more study and whose observations have been keener and deductions more philosophical, who could, if they so desired, hinge the effects and causes together so closely that any thoughtful person could see why so many newly married folks hasten through the rosy rambles of the honeymoon, only to enter the thistle bound walks of discontent and unhappiness in their new sphere of life. Were we inclined to set in agitation about our auricular organ and overcrowded tenement house of human hornets, mention might be here made of scores of young people who, despite their solemn wedding vows, are living apart, and in their peculiar ways dragging out their wretched hours of repentance over the words spoken which consigned their joys into obiivion. Marital unhappiness marks conspicuously no one class of society. It renders alike bleak and comfortless the homes of the rich and the lofty, the poor and the lowly. While telling too much of the prevailing domestic infelicities and miseries which surround us, the records of the ever going on divorce court do not develop any fair basis from which to comprehend the inside life of households made desolate by ill-mated husbands and wives. Young marriageable persons nowadays, more than formerly, rush into the holy bonds of wedlock without thinking seriously of what they are doing, and in some cases are actually reckless as to consequences in their ambition to get married. Parents too often educate their daughters to the belief that the one great destiny of life before them is to get a man as a traveling companion through joys and woes, and the youth of the sterner sex act hastily in assuming the mighty obligations imposed in matrimony. We no longer have, as a rule, the good old and sufficiently long continued sensible courtships of days gone by. Love affairs are generally frivolous, rapidly pushed to an unconsidered consummation at the hymeneal altar, and none should marvel much at the multitude of young lives wrecked and made miserable at their first fair outset in the journey of life. Too much caution cannot be exercised by lads and lassies contemplating the formation of life alliances. The contracting parties should know themselves, should determine the sincerity of their hearts and the true character of their motives which impel them to seek the great change of life involved in marriage before entering therein.

We should have had no homily to offer to-day on a social question not properly belonging to this department of the paper, were it not that our mind wandered in genuine sympathy towards a handsome and accomplished young lady of one of the outer wards, whose young and tender affections have been crushed, and whose fair hopes have been blighted, by the unexpected denouement of a courtship. The daughter of one of our most respected and wealthy citizens, charming in person as well as mind, pure, innocent and guileless, she is worthy the heart and affections of any worthy of her. Since her induction into society she has been the bright particular star of the circle in which she moved and to the general attractions of which she added so much by her presence, and very naturally, soon won many gentlemen admirers, and among them not a few suitors for her hand. A talented, well to do and respectable young professional gentleman sought the prize and won it. Love's vows were interchanged, and the day, one of rosy June, was fixed upon for the celebration of the nuptial ceremonies. Invitation circulars for the promised happy occasion were largely put forth, and all things were in readiness for the marriage. But unfortunately there is a mighty hidden truth in the old adage that tells us that "there is many a slip between the cup and the lip," and in this instance it was developed in melancholy reality. The projected wedding naturally enough set the tongues of gossip agoing, and sly whispers were heard that the intended groom, driven by some strange maniacal impulse or other, had thrown himself into a life of unguarded conviviality, and was rapidly falling into the wretched ways of the drunkard. This terrible secret, notwithstanding the strenuous efforts made by himself and friends to keep it from the knowedge of the expectant bride and her parents, soon became so public and potent that it found its way to their ears. Prayerful exhortations were made to the erring youth by the one who loved him dearly, to abandon the awful path he was walking and save her happiness as well as his own. He promised to reform, and once more reassured that all would be well, the betrothed maiden regained her lost spirits and entered with new and refreshed heart into the completion of the arrangements for the rapidly oncoming wedding festival. But alas! the gods seemed bent on the destruction of the object of her holiest affections, for after a shamelessly brief abstinence from rum, he relapsed into his old habits and once more excited the fears of his friends and rekindled the alarm and anguish of the girl he had taught to love him in his better and more virtuous days. He was lost to all reason, but yet fondly clung to the belief that his espoused would prove forgiving, and argued that it would be time enough to settle down when married. Time sped on and each returning day bringing with it no rainbow of promise, the girl lost all hope, and with a sad determination resolved to renounce the lover once and forever. It was a hard ordeal through which she elected to pass, but who could blame her? Why should she unite her destiny in life to an unworthy one who had already devoted his to dissipation? She had seen too much of this deceitful world to consent to any act constituting herself an asylum for the reform of even one confirmed inebriate. The girl did not go into hysterics or romantically contemplate the poetical side of self-destruction as an antidote for worldly woes, but with a trembling hand simply wrote to her unfortunate lover that she would see him no more. This brief declaration was all, excepting the returned diamond ring of engagement which the tiny envelope contained when it was placed in the hands of the party to whom addressed. Had the dashing youth been smitten with a thunderbolt sent directly down from the wrathful heavens, he could not have been more thoroughly paralysed. He read and wept and wept and read the laconic epistle and then hastened to the lady's home to assure himself of the meaning of the words. He was refused an audience, and truly disconsolate he quitted the house. To cut our story short it is only necessary to say that there was no wedding last week in the dwelling set to order for one on a grand scale, and for which the cards were out and the parson engaged. The bride-as-was-to-be philosophically resumed the even tenor of her ways and the young gentleman took a train for the Black Hills, in the gloomy shadows of which he may have plenty of time to bewail the fate that led him out of the way of rectitude, and to fully contemplate the evil results ever attendant upon intemperance.

This little episode in everyday life has caused quite a sensation among the friends of the parties, and is the all-absorbing subject of conversation in the particular circle of society in which the parties move; and this little sketch will afford the curious the only reason why the wedding did not take place.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

The New Management Assumes Control—Contemplated Changes.

Yesterday D. McCargo, Esq., formally assumed the Superintendency of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, *vice* Col. J. J. Lawrence, resigned. Mr. McCargo is Receiver of the Oil Creek and Allegheny River Railroad, whose sale recently, upon a foreclosure of mortgage, was suspended by a discovery of the non-jurisdiction in the matter, of the Court ordering it. He bears the reputation of an earnest, capable business man, is thoroughly posted in railroad matters, and will prove an able administrator.

The general offices of the Oil Creek and Allegheny River Railroad will be transferred from Oil City to Pittsburgh about the eighth inst., and located in apartments now being fitted up in handsome style upon the third and fourth floors in the building of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, corner of Eleventh and Pike streets. To accommodate this transfer the Paymaster of the Allegheny Valley road will occupy part of the Treasurer's office, room No. 9.

Col. J. J. Lawrence, late Superintendent, was much esteemed by the business community as an obliging and efficient railroad officer. Holding the reins of power with a firm but gentle hand, uniformly kind and just to all, he was endeared to the employes by many generous services. The good wishes of a host of friends will follow him into whatever department of business life he may enter.

European Steamship Arrivals Reported Yesterday.

Dispatches received at Max Schamberg's European Steamship, Exchange and Telegraph Office, at 163 Smithfield street, announce the arrival of the steamer Italia, at New York; England, at New York.

BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

....A military company will be organized at Sewickley this evening.

....The Water Committee couldn't get a quorum for its special meeting last night.

....There appears to be some dissatisfaction over the awarding of the contract for the improvement of Soho street.

....The changes in freights to the East on the Pennsylvania Central and Baltimore & Ohio Railroads give Pittsburgh shippers a better showing.

....Two young men named James Caskey and George Robinson were arrested in Allegheny for exposing their persons, and also acting very disorderly.

....Alderman Gallagher committed August Zeiglet yesterday to await a hearing, he having been charged with levying blackmail on oath of Christian Friend.

....The Madison avenue sewer caved in between Concord and O'Hara streets, yesterday afternoon. Street Commissioner Tyson will have it repaired to-day.

....A mare and colt belonging to Mr. Samuel Provost were run over and killed by a train on the Castle Shannon Railroad, near Fair Haven, yesterday morning.

....The destruction of Hussey, Dravo & Co.'s steel works, on the South Side, yesterday morning, is attributed to incendiarism, and the Fire Marshal is investigating it.

....Ephraim Langfit, one of the alleged counterfeiters, who was arrested a day or two ago, was released from custody yesterday by entering into bond in the sum of $5,000.

....The Allegheny Third ward school directors have decided to close their schools to-morrow and not continue them until next Wednesday, the end of the school month.

....Complaint was made before Alderman Milliken yesterday against William E. Lee, charging him with keeping a gambling house, on oath of John Ochse. A warrant was issued.

....Yesterday morning as a peddler was walking along Fayette street, near Eleventh, a thief grabbed his pocketbook which he was carrying in his hand, and escaped with his booty.

....The inactivity in Pittsburgh boating circles this year is owing to the large sums lost last year when Morris and Scharff were beaten by Brown. The boys haven't got the money to put up.

....Yesterday afternoon the residence of Robert Marshall, on Hazel street, near Elm, was broken into at the rear part of the building by thieves, the family being absent in the country on a visit. They got nothing for their trouble.

....Jim. Gest and Wm. Jones, the former of this city and the latter of Cincinnati, were arrested yesterday morning in a room in the rear of a cigar store on Penn avenue, near the Niagara engine house. They were supposed to be prospecting for plunder.

....The Board of Directors of Hiland school have elected Prof. Geo. P. Fulton Principal, and Misses Hannah J. Lyon, F. C. Kyle, E. J. Bridge, M. J. Clark, Rachel Ewing, Annie Christy, N. J. Gillespie, M. N. Reid, Clara Black, Mary Knox and Laura J. Allen teachers for the ensuing year.

....Had the Water Committee met last night, Mechanical Engineer Lowry would have submitted a statement regarding a number of defective valves which have been delivered by the contractor at the pumping house foundations, but which he cannot allow to be used because he deems them unfit for service.

....In our report of the Democratic nominations yesterday, we stated that J. R. Hunter was nominated for Director of Poor, leading many to believe that J. R. Hunter, commercial broker of this city, was the person intended, whereas it was Henry Hunter of one of the rural districts, who was made the nominee. Our Mr. J. R. Hunter was not a candidate for the people's favors and does not expect to be.

....A charge of embezzlement was made by Allen Sppker, of the firm of Worline, Spyker & Co., yesterday, before Alderman Milliken, against Charles H. Lewis and John Bahmer, of the firm of Charles H. Lewis & Co., commission merchants, of this city. He alleges that the defendants took, to sell on commission, two lots of flour, the first containing fifty barrels and the other two hundred sacks, and appropriated the funds realized thereon to their own use. The defendants were arrested and gave bail for a hearing.

....The Committee on Organization of the One Hundred and Twenty-third Regiment met, and, in pursuance of their appointment, elected the following-named officers for the ensuing year, viz.: President, A. M. Cameron; First Vice President, Simon Drum; Second Vice President, S. Duncan Karns; Recording Secretary, Jos. Gaches; Corresponding Secretary, Al. P. Burchfield; Treasurer, L. Sproul. The above named gentlemen are requested to meet at City Hall, Allegheny, on Friday evening, June 25th, at 7½ o'clock.

....A literary entertainment will be given by the Oakdale Classical and Normal Institute, at Academy Hall, Oakdale, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, June 29th and 30th. The performances will consist of orations, essays, recitations, dialogues, tableaux, and vocal and instrumental music. It is expected that the entertainment will surpass anything of the kind that has lately been given there, and those who attend will, no doubt, receive a rich treat and a rare intellectual feast.

....The Philadelphia *Ledger* of Tuesday says: "Judge McKennan, of the U. S. Circuit Court, has ordered a re-argument, at Pittsburgh, in the matter of the United States vs. Edwin M. Lewis, Trustee of the estate of Jay Cooke & Co. The question involved is, Has the United States, by law, a preference over other creditors? At the time of the adjudication in bankruptcy, there was in the hands of the bankrupts between seven and eight hundred thousand dollars of the Government funds, which, it is alleged, were placed there by the Chief of one of the Departments after the house had closed its doors."

PERSONAL.

***Judge Stowe is holding Court in Beaver.

***Col. Fred. Grant and wife stopped at the Union Depot Hotel yesterday on their way to Chicago. They have been granted a son.

***Joe. Morrow, recently of Speck & Morrow, of this city, has been elected Captain of a new military company in Connellsville.

***Michael Hammer, of the Howard boat club, wants to row a three mile race for $200 a side with Wm. Henderson, of the Clipper club, in a fortnight from next Saturday.

***John F. Dravo, Esq., delivers the address of welcome at the reunion of the Third Brigade (McCall's Division) Penna. Reserve Corps, at McKeesport, on the 28th of July. Gen. E. O. C. Ord will be the Chief Marshal of the day.

***Mr. Wm. Cahoon, of Pittsburgh, for the past ten years a passenger conductor on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago road, has been transferred to the Erie & Pittsburgh road, to fill the position vacated by Conductor Flint.

TWO CASES OF DROWNING.

A Man Falls Into the Monongahela River—A Little Child Drowned in a Barrel of Rain Water.

Yesterday, about noon, a man named Samuel Galway, who was working at the boat yard of Messrs. Felker & Wilson, on the Monongahela river, in Lower St. Clair township, fell into the river and was drowned. He was seen walking on the edge of one of the boats about twenty minutes before he was missed, and being subject to fits it was supposed that he had taken ill and had fallen into the stream. Search was instituted for the body which was recovered in a short time. An inquest was held upon the remains, when a verdict in accordance with the facts was rendered. The deceased was an Irishman by birth, thirty-eight years of age, and leaves a wife and child.

Emma J. Black, a little three year old daughter of Mr. J. J. Black, who resides in the Twenty-seventh ward, was playing in the yard adjoining the family residence yesterday about ten o'clock, when she fell into a barrel of rain water and was drowned. The Coroner held an inquest on the body in the afternoon, when a verdict of accidental death was rendered.

THE SHERIFF'S CONVENTION.

Its Appearance to a Disinterested Observer.

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

I have been not a little astonished at hearing from some of our business men expressions of dissatisfaction at the determined stand taken by the delegates to Convention No. 1. Without stopping to take more than a superficial view of the matter, they express themselves "disgusted" at the various meetings and frequent ballots taken without result by the two hundred and twenty-four representatives of the party.

Said the writer to one of these delegates, "Are you not afraid that this prolonged contest may displease the voters, and result in a loss to the party at the election?" His reply was frank, prompt, and upon reflection, quite natural. Said he, "What can we do? I was elected by a majority of three to one, in my ward, for Fife, and I must continue to vote for that gentleman so long as his name is before the Convention. No other course is left to me, if I intend to answer properly to my constituents who sent me here. Any other course would lay me open to the charge of having been bribed or bluffed."

The same is true of the other delegates—all elected to do their utmost to secure that nominee, whom they honestly considered the best fitted for the place, and whom their people wanted. If they turned away from him, so long as he remained before the Convention as a candidate for nomination, they would prove false to their promises and properly bring upon themselves charges of false dealing.

Now is their anything strange in all this? Is it not a fair illustration of honesty of purpose on the part of these various delegates? Is it not perfectly natural for honest, honorable men—as we take the mass of this Convention to be—to stick to their convictions and their pledges as long as there is any hope of success? I look upon it so, and find it the same everywhere, whether in politics, religion, business affairs, or what not. Some of your readers, upon reflection, will call to mind, sundry attempts to select a Congressional nominee for either party, in different parts of the country where the conferees sat for months, with closed doors, endeavoring to harmonize the different sections on a proper person to fill the office. In the celebrated contest for Speaker of the XXXII Congress, where the different sections were arrayed in hot antagonism, the North supporting Banks and the South the slaveholder Aiken, over two months were consumed by Congress in making the selection and one hundred ballots were held. The same is true of many of our church elections, one portion of the congregation wanting this man, and another that one, and still a third demanding another, as their minister, often prolonging the contest for weeks and months. So of elections of bank presidents, and other responsible officers—all going to prove the honest determination of those charged with the responsibility of making a selection for an important position, and their willingness to hold out till the last "dog is shot"—to use a common saying—rather than yield their convictions of duty.

And so it is, I am sure, with the delegates to our Convention No. 1, and I for one honor them for it. Had they yielded, and gone together on some one of the candidates, the old cry of the "Ring fixing up things" would have been heard on every hand. Now that they have proven themselves sound, unpurchasable and not to be frightened away from their pledges and convictions, let them be honored and held up to the respect of all good men. It is a long time yet until election day, and we hope these delegates who have been charged with the responsibility of selecting a candidate for the Sheriffalty, will be in no particular hurry about it, but in the end give us a good man and a sound Republican, and all grumbling will cease.

A BUSINESS MAN.

A HORSE SHOW.

As Good as the Circus.

We have frequently referred to the fact that the horses of the Allegheny Fire Department are so well drilled that at the first tap of the gong they start from their stalls and take their places alongside of the pole of the engine, ready to be hitched. This evidence of equine sagacity has become pretty well known among the people, and many persons avail themselves of the advantage of these summer evenings to look at the show. The gongs in the engine houses are now struck by the same electric current that strikes the big bell every three hours, and the horses alway respond, and are hitched up, just to keep them in training. The doors of the engine houses being open these nights, large crowds collect around, about the hours for striking, to see the show. Last evening about one hundred persons, of whom a large number were ladies, gathered in front of the Columbia Engine House at nine o'clock and were witnesses of the entertainment. The equine performances received an enthusiastic applause.

A singular fact in connection with this display is that the horses never collide; each knows exactly his place, and they file out with all precision of disciplined soldiers. Last evening, for instance, at the six o'clock tap the hose carriage horse had been taken away to get shod. This horse always takes the lead, and when the gong sounded the horses hesitated a second to await the start from him and finding no start was made they galloped out in regular order.

The Fire on Saturday Morning.

We fortunately escaped being consumed in the serious fire on Saturday morning, but we have had a number of organs and several pianos damaged by water and by moving them in great haste. These instruments will be closed out at less than cost. None of them are injured to any serious extent, and not at all in their interior; musically, they are perfect; we will warrant them to be as durable as any others. Here is a chance seldom offered to secure a fine piano or organ at ruinously low figures, and we suggest that persons who want to secure a bargain should call at our rooms without delay. Please remember the place, No. 79 Fifth avenue, and don't forget that these pianos and organs are hardly any worse for the damage—the places where they have been injured can be readily repaired and never noticed. We will furnish them on easy monthly payments if desired.

MELLOR & HOENE,
79 Fifth avenue.

Sheltering Arms Anniversary.

The managers of the Sheltering Arms and Hospital for Incurables will give their annual dinner at their Home, in Wilkinsburg, on Friday, June 25th. The ladies have made unusual preparations both as to quantity and quality of viands, and it is to be hoped that our people will patronize them very liberally, as the money thus expended will be given to the needy and in this way will they lend to the Lord. The tickets for dinner are only fifty cents, which is but a "widows mite" to those who are blessed with even the smallest portion of this world's goods. Is it not to be expected, therefore, that great numbers will realize on that day, that it is more blessed to give than to receive? Come to our anniversary dinner.

Ice Cream and Strawberries.

The Ice Cream and Strawberry Festival at the South Common M. E. Church, Allegheny is a grand affair, and will be continued this evening. Everybody is invited to come.

This Week

we commence our semi-annual sale previous to inventory.

Entire stock reduced.

Large lot of Dress Goods at 12½c, reduced from 25, 30 and 37½c.

One case wide Mohairs at 25c.

One lot wide Plaids at 25c.

Bargains in Parasols, Sun Umbrellas, etc.

J. B. HEARD & Co.,
52 Sixth street.

In Order to Celebrate the Fourth of July

in a proper manner, persons ought to call on L. T. Yoder, No. 51 Smithfield street, and get a supply of Fire Works.

Carpenters and Builders

should buy Drum's improved Sash Weights the cheapest and best in the market, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

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and others should go to Drum & Son's for Ames Patent Shovels; also for Picks and Wheelbarrows, &c., 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

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Can get a lot of Single-trees very cheap, at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

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Octagon Tops.

A large assortment of octagon chimney tops, of best quality at N. U. Walker & Co.'s, No. 372 Penn avenue.

Glass and Putty

at manufacturers prices, at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Plows, Plow Points,

Wood and iron Cultivators, cheap, at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

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The scourge of the human family, may in its early stages be promptly arrested and permanently cured:

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Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.:

Sir—For the last year I have been using your Golden Medical Discovery. I owe my life to having been afflicted for years. Didnot use it but a short time before I was benefited; at that time I was very bad, not able to sit up much, was suffering greatly with my throat, was getting blind, had a dry cough, and much pain in my lungs. I have used twelve bottles of the Discovery and am almost well. KATE T. WARDNER.

A son of Mr. J. H. Mesack, of Chatham Four Corners, N. Y., has been cured of Consumption by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery,—so says Mr. C. B. Canfield, editor of the *Chatham Courier*.

S. R. Eglar, druggist, of West Union, O., writes to state that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has effected a wonderful cure of Consumption in his neighborhood.

CLOSING SALE.

J. B. Heard & Co.

Large lot White Quilts, $1.00.
Good styles, best quality Percales, 12½c.
Best Percales, reduced from 25c to 16.
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Cash House means bottom prices.

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can get the best assortment of Locks, Hinges, &c., of the most modern styles to be found in the city, at the lowest prices, at Drum & Son's.

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should buy their Scythes at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Clothes Wringers,

Clothes Workers and Clothes Horses at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Bricklayers

and others wanting Fire Tile and Brick should go to Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Gardeners and Farmers

should buy Warren's Patent Hoe at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Dog Muzzles,

At Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Parties Should not Only Call,

but bring their friends to see the great exhibition of fire works at L. T. Yoder's, No. 51 Smithfield street.

Farm Bells

Cheap, at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Grates and Fronts

Very cheap at Drum & Son's.

Drum's Patent Sash Pulleys and Shutter Hinges

are the best and cheapest. Get them at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Parties Wishing to Show Their Patriotism

by celebrating the fourth of July, will do well by calling on L. T. Yoder, No. 51 Smithfield street.

The Best Sewer Pipe.

The best Sewer Pipe manufactured in the United States, is for sale by N. U. Walker & Co., No. 372 Penn avenue.

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where you can get fine confectionery retailed at wholesale prices is at L. T. Yoder's, No 51 Smithfield street.

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The Water and Sewer Pipe manufactured by N. U. Walker, No. 372 Penn avenue, is not surpassed by any other manufactured in this country. Has been subjected to every possible use with entire satisfaction.

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Should use the Cincinnati Trowel, to be had at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Ladies Wanting

Silver plated Spoons and Forks should go to Drum & Son's if they wish to get a good article cheap. 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Mocking Bird

and all other Bird Cages very low at Drum & Son's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Electric Razors.

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Repairing and Remodeling.

Parties can do no better than secure the service of Samuel Wood, Jr., corner Penn and Ninth streets, for all kinds of carpenter work. Reliable, reasonable in charge and competent, satisfaction is assured.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following transfers of real estate have been placed on file in the Recorder's office since our last report:

The New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Company to Patrick Burns, November 17, 1873; lot in Patton township, in company's plan. Price......$133 83

Robert Watson to Eliza Watson, February 26, 1873; two lots in Tenth ward, city, one Pine street. Consideration......$5

Mrs. P. S. Breckenridge to Peter Smith et al., trustees, June 11, 1875: lot in Harrison township, on Railroad street. Price......$325

Johnston R. Davis to Robert H. Davis, October 13, 1849; 7 acres and 20 55-100 perches in Ross township. Price......$498 99

Jordon S. Neel et ux. to Hannah Allshouse, July 7, 1874; 4 acres and 46 1-10 perches in Mifflin township. Price......$400

S. W. Vankirk to W. W. O'Neil, January 21, 1875; lot in Elizabeth borough, on Fourth street. Price......$1,400

Thomas Gray to William Beadling, May 11, 1875; lot in Union township, containing 1 acre. Price......$786

Rachel Messner to John G. Messner, June 16, 1875; lot in Sixth ward, Allegheny, on Franklin street. Price......$4,500

LATEST RIVER NEWS.

CINCINNATI, June 23, 1875.

The river has fourteen feet six inches of water in the channel, and is falling rapidly. The weather was clear and hot. Arrived—Shannon, Louisville. Departed—Fawn and Kittie Hegler, Evansville.

RICE'S LANDING, June 23, 1875.

The river is rising, with six feet of water in the channel.

OIL CITY, June 23, 1875.

The river has ten inches of water in the channel, and is stationary.

BROWNSVILLE, June 23, 1875.

The river has six feet nine inches of water in the channel, and is falling.

WHEELING, W. VA., June 23, 1875.

There are four feet nine inches of water in the channel, and is stationary.

NASHVILLE, June 23, 1875.

The river is rising, with five feet eleven inches of water on the shoals. The weather is clear and hot.

VICKSBURG, June 23, 1875.

Up—Grand Lake Down—Mary Houston. The weather is warm and cloudy. The river fell three inches.

NEW ORLEANS, June 23, 1875.

Arrived—City of Quincy, St. Louis. Departed—Robert Mitchell, Ohio River; Clarksville, Arkansas River. The weather is cloudy and warm.

LITTLE ROCK, June 23, 1875.

The river is falling, with four feet six inches of water in the channel. Arrived—Maumalee and Ella Hughes, from Ft. Smith. The weather is clear and warm.

MEMPHIS, June 23, 1875.

The river rose six inches. The weather is clear; mercury 92. Departed—Cherokee, Thompson Dean and Parker, Cincinnati, the Cherokee late last night. The Great Republic is due up.

LOUISVILLE, June 23, 1875.

The river is rising rapidly, with eight feet nine inches of water in the canal, and six feet nine inches in Indian chute. Arrived—John Means and Barnard, Wheeling. Departed—Means and Barnard, New Orleans. The weather is very hot and cloudy.

EVANSVILLE, June 23, 1875.

The weather is clear and hot; mercury 77 to 94. The river rising, with twelve and three-tenth feet of water on the gauge. Down—Ed Hobbs and tow, 8:30 P. M.; Grey Eagle 1:30 A. M. Up—Vint Shinkle, 4 A. M.; Idlewild, 6; Governor Allen and tow, 9; Chas. B. Church, 11; Geo. Roberts, 12. Business very dull.

CAIRO, June 23, 1875.

Arrived—Falls Pilot, Ohio River, 3 P. M.; Chas. Morgan, Cincinnati, 4; Belle of Shreveport and Alice, St. Louis, 6; Ste Genevieve, St. Louis, 7. Departed—Falls Pilot, Memphis, 4 P. M.; Belle of Shreveport, New Orleans, 6. The river has twenty-four feet nine inches of water, and is rising. The weather is clear; mercury 90.

ST. LOUIS, June 23, 1875.

Arrived—Josie and barges, Dubuque; Lady Lee, Peoria; Bon Accord and barges, Tennessee River; Clinton, St. Paul; Johnson, Keokuk; Leopard and barges, Ohio River. Departed—Dubuque and Colossal, St. Paul; Grand Tower, Memphis; Belle of St. Louis, Cambridge; Lady Lee, Peoria; Johnson, Keokuk; Dugan, Jefferson City. The river has risen seven inches. The weather is cloudy and very warm.

Sugar Beets for Fattening Swine.

Jonathan Talcott gives a statement in the Boston *Cultivator* of an experiment performed on a Suffolk pig where sugar beets were largely employed for fattening. The animal was about a year old, and the feeding on boiled sugar beets, tops and roots, began on the 16th of August and was continued three times a day until the 1st of October, after which ground feed was given, consisting of two parts of corn and one of oats, three times a day, till the animal was slaughtered, the meal being mixed with cold water. The result was, on the 16th of August, when the sugar beet feeding was begun, that the weight was 360 lbs.; September 1st, 390 lbs.; October 1st, 460 lbs.; November 1st, 520 lbs. This is the substance of the statement given, by which we perceive that the increase the last of August, when fed on boiled sugar beets, was at the rate of two pounds per day; the rate of increase on the same food continued through September. When fed on ground corn and oats, made into cold slop, the gain for the next fifty days was less than a pound and a half per day.

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The stomach is the commissariat of the physical system. It furnishes the natural sustenance of every organ. If disordered, the whole body languishes; but, however affected, its tone and vigor may always be restored by a course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The regularity in its operations which this grand tonic alterative establishes is the most direct means of obviating physical debility, impurities of the blood and affections of the discharging organs. We know that if digestion or the habit of the body is obstructed, the entire physique is weakened in consequence of insufficient conversion of the food into blood; and it is equally certain that the refuse of the system not wholly thrown off is sure to contaminate the vital fluid and surcharge the bowels and kidneys with vitiated matter which weakens and inflames them. The Bitters, by strengthening the organs of discharge, enables them to act vigorously, thus liberates the pent up waste which would otherwise work incalculable injury.

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DIED:

WILKINS—On Tuesday, June 22d, 1875, EDMUND J., youngest son of E. J. and E. A. Wilkins, aged 2 years, 3 months and 27 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 253 Lacock street, Allegheny, TO-DAY, at 2 o'clock P. M., to proceed to Allegheny Cemetery.

BURK—At the residence of his son-in-law, Jas. Mawhinney, corner of Pride and Locust streets, on Tuesday, June 22d, 1875, GEORGE BURK, in the 71st year of his age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral THIS AFTERNOON, at 2½ o'clock.

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WANTED—TO SELL OR EXCHANGE —A No. 1 Farm of 525 acres, with house of 14 rooms and all necessary outbuildings, in Halifax county, Va. Call on or address McCLELLAN & NICHOLS, 188 Liberty street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED—WIRE DRAWERS. APPLY to GLOBE ROLLING MILL CO., 42 and 44 West Second street, Cincinnati, O. q56

WANTED—MECHANICS AND OTHERS who anticipate going West to call for information concerning a Colony now being formed in this city. Full information gladly given by calling on or addressing JOHN McDOWELL, No. 9 Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, from 1 to 3 o'clock P. M. q31

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$100,000 00 Good Commercial Paper;
70,000 00 City Mortgages, $10,000 00 and upward;
30,000 00 Allegheny Valley Income Bonds.
BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE.
All the best property in the market is on my books. Now is the time to buy; this depression will not last; the future of Pittsburgh is assured, and property in good locations will command higher figures within the next five years than has ever been known. Come and see me.
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AUCTION SALES.

FOR SALE.
Valuable Coal and Rolling Mill Property.
The Real Estate of the STEUBENVILLE IRON AND BOLT CO., consisting of 28 acres of land, 148 acres of Coal, Coal Shaft and Rolling Mill, will be offered for sale at public auction, on FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF JUNE, 1875, at 3 o'clock, afternoon, at the front door of the Court House, Steubenville, Ohio.
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TERMS—One-third cash and balance in one and two years with interest at 7 3-10 per cent., and to be secured by mortgage.
q54 T. P. SPENCER, Assignee.

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ON SATURDAY, JUNE 26, at 2½ o'clock P. M., on the premises, viz.:
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The building and lot now occupied by George Crawford, the jeweler, adjoining the office of Adams Express, and 2 doors below the Pittsburgh Opera House. The lot fronts on Fifth avenue 15 feet and is 100 feet deep. This is a rare chance for any one wishing a safe and remunerative investment.
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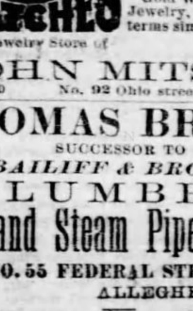

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have sold and transferred all my stock in the Keystone Bank of Pittsburgh to F. Sellers, Esq.
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q81 GEO. FRANKLIN.

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OFFICIAL—PITTSBURGH.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, June 22, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessment for grading Craig street, from Fifth avenue to Forbes street, is now ready for examination and correction, and will remain at this office for ten (10) days when it will be returned to the City Treasurer for collection.
A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, June 10, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessment for Grading, Paving and Curbing Rebecca street from Penn avenue to first alley south of Friendship avenue, is now ready for examination and correction and will remain at this office for ten days, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer for collection.
A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of Fairmount avenue from Penn avenue to Morningside avenue, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within 30 days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees.
THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
PITTSBURGH, June 5, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of Carson street, from Monongahela Bridge to the city line, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees.
THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, June 5, 1875.

OFFICE OF THE CITY TREASURER, PITTSBURGH, April 29, 1875.

Notice is Hereby Given to all owners of unlicensed Vehicles that they will on the SECOND MONDAY OF MAY, be subject to a penalty

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(No. 69.)

AN ORDINANCE—Granting Charles Wehmer the right to erect a frame stable, ice house and slaughter house on Saw Mill Valley Plank Road and Morrison avenue, Tenth ward.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That Charles Wehmer be and he is hereby granted permission to erect a frame stable, ice house and slaughter house on Saw Mill Valley Plank Road and Morrison avenue, Tenth ward.

SEC. 2. That so much of any Ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 10th day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

J. C. PATTERSON, President of Select Council.
Attest: R. T. WHITE, Clerk of Select Council.
WM. P. PRICE, President of Common Council.
Attest: ROBERT DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council.
MAYOR'S OFFICE, Allegheny, June 14, 1875.
Examined and approved.
je19 O. PHILLIPS, Mayor.

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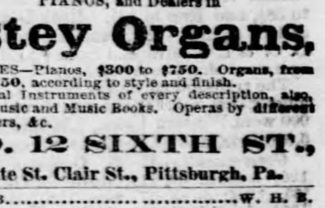
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